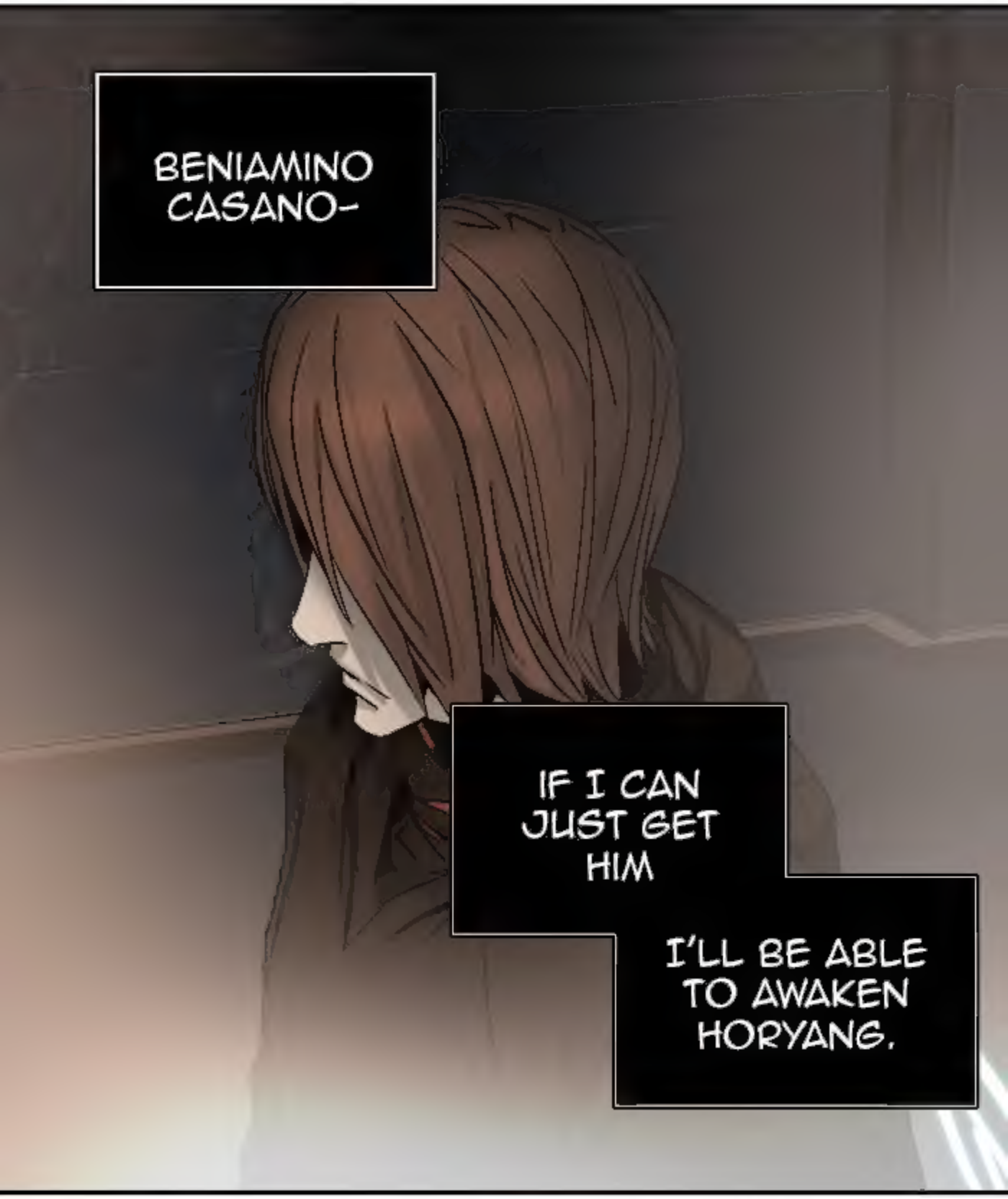
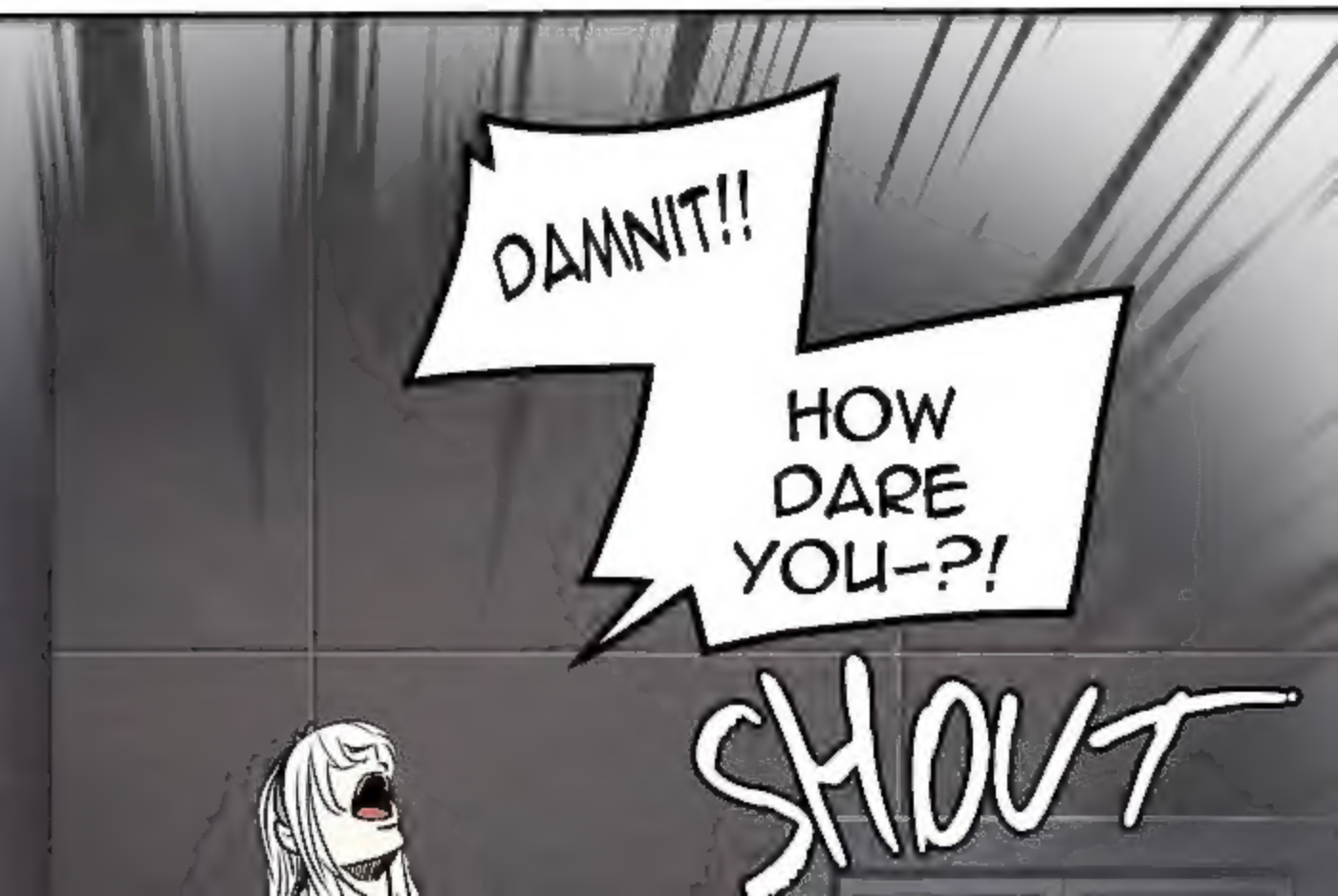
CRAP!! WHERE DID HE GO?!
IF I FIND HIM, I'LL KILL YOU TOO!!
KRRRRRRRRR
.....
KRRRRRRRRR

HUFF-
HUFF-

THUD-

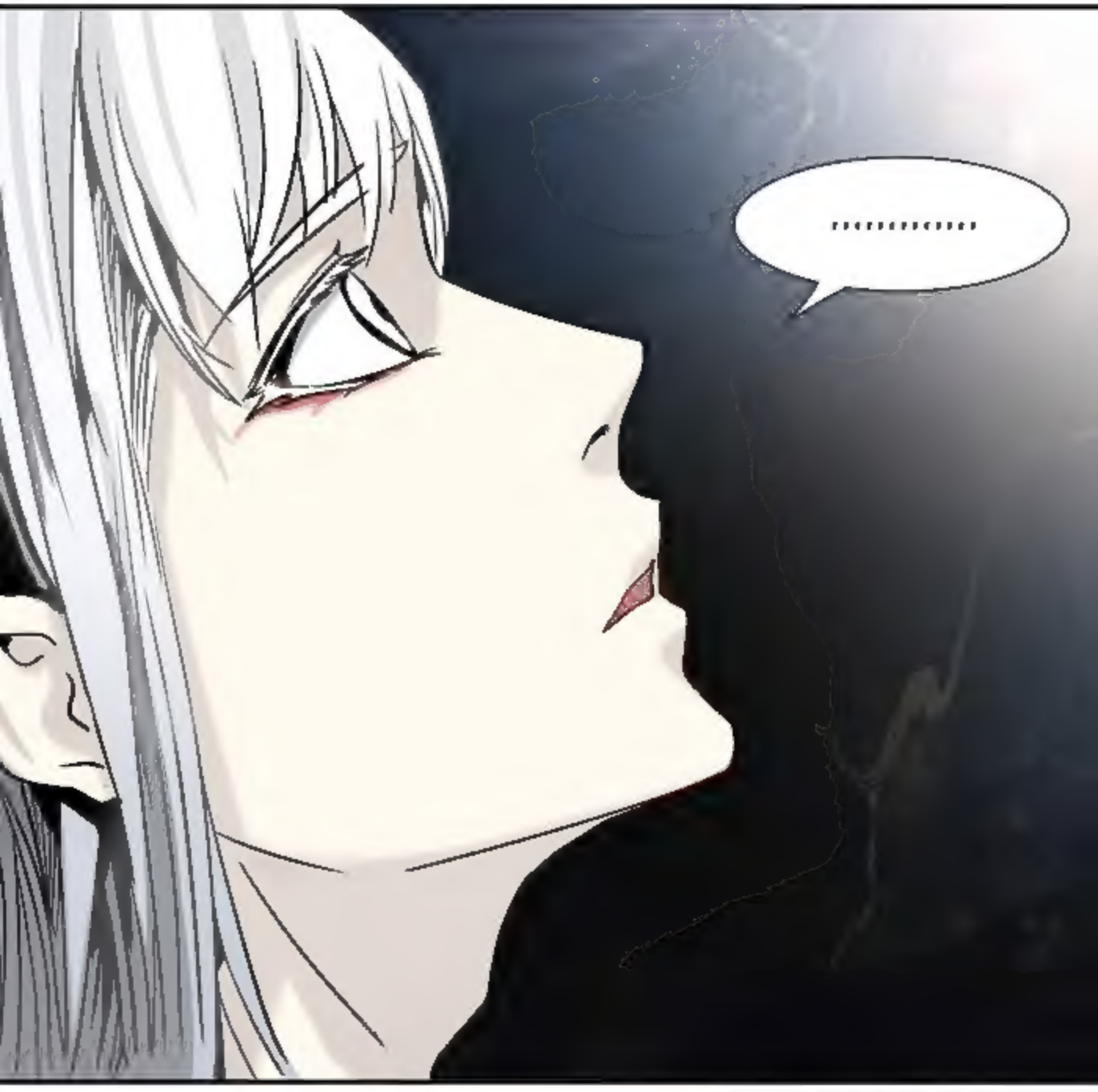

BENIAMINO CASANO-
IF I CAN JUST GET HIM
I'LL BE ABLE TO AWAKEN HORYANG.

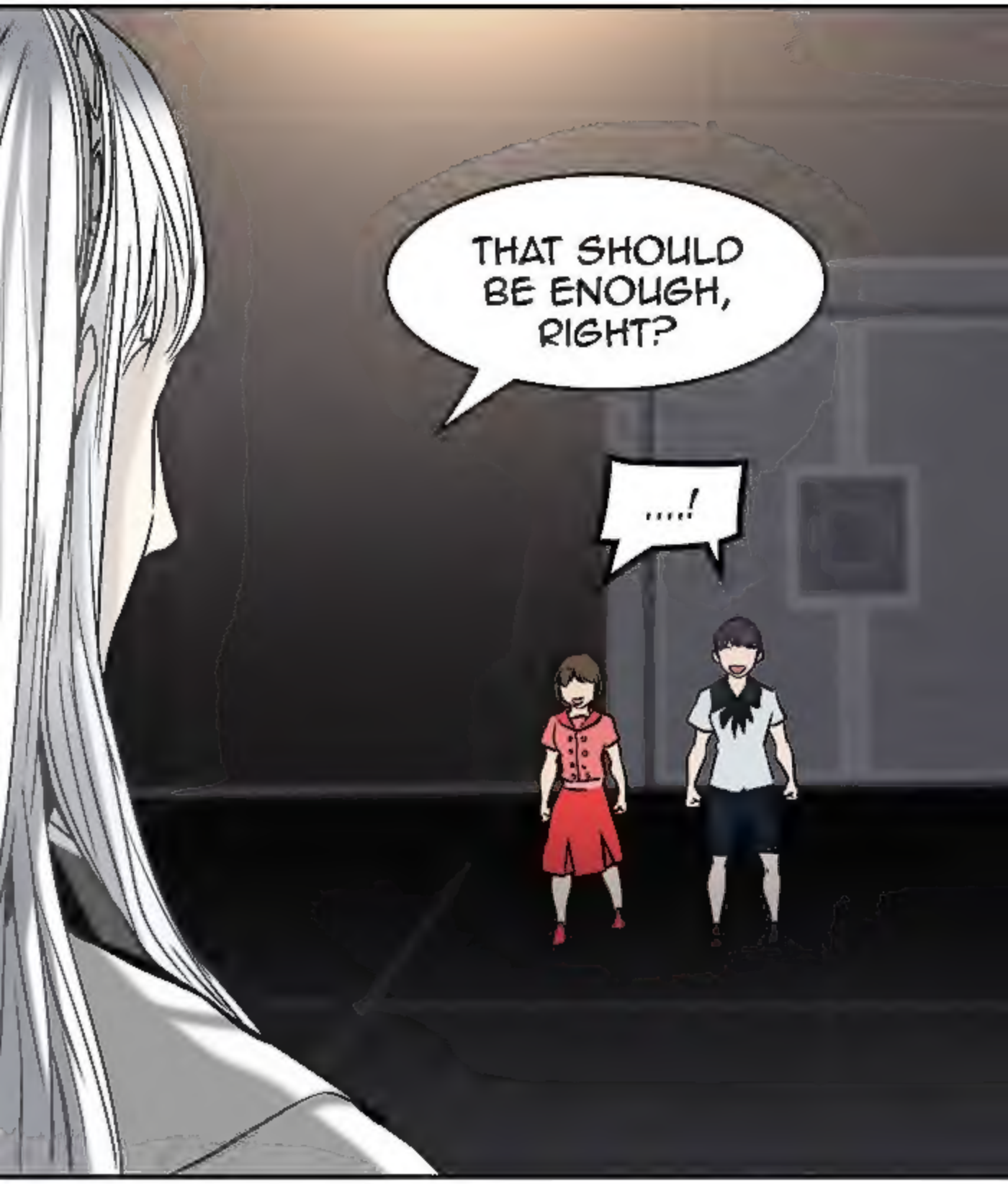
CLASP
JUST WAIT A BIT LONGER, GOSENG.


DAMNIT!!
HOW DARE YOU-?!
SHOUT

SHOUT
HOW DARE YOU LOCK ME IN HERE AND RUN AWAY?

TELL ME THE PASSWORD TO THAT DOOR RIGHT NOW!!
OR I'LL KILL YOU ALL!!




THAT SHOULD BE ENOUGH, RIGHT?
....!

NOD...!

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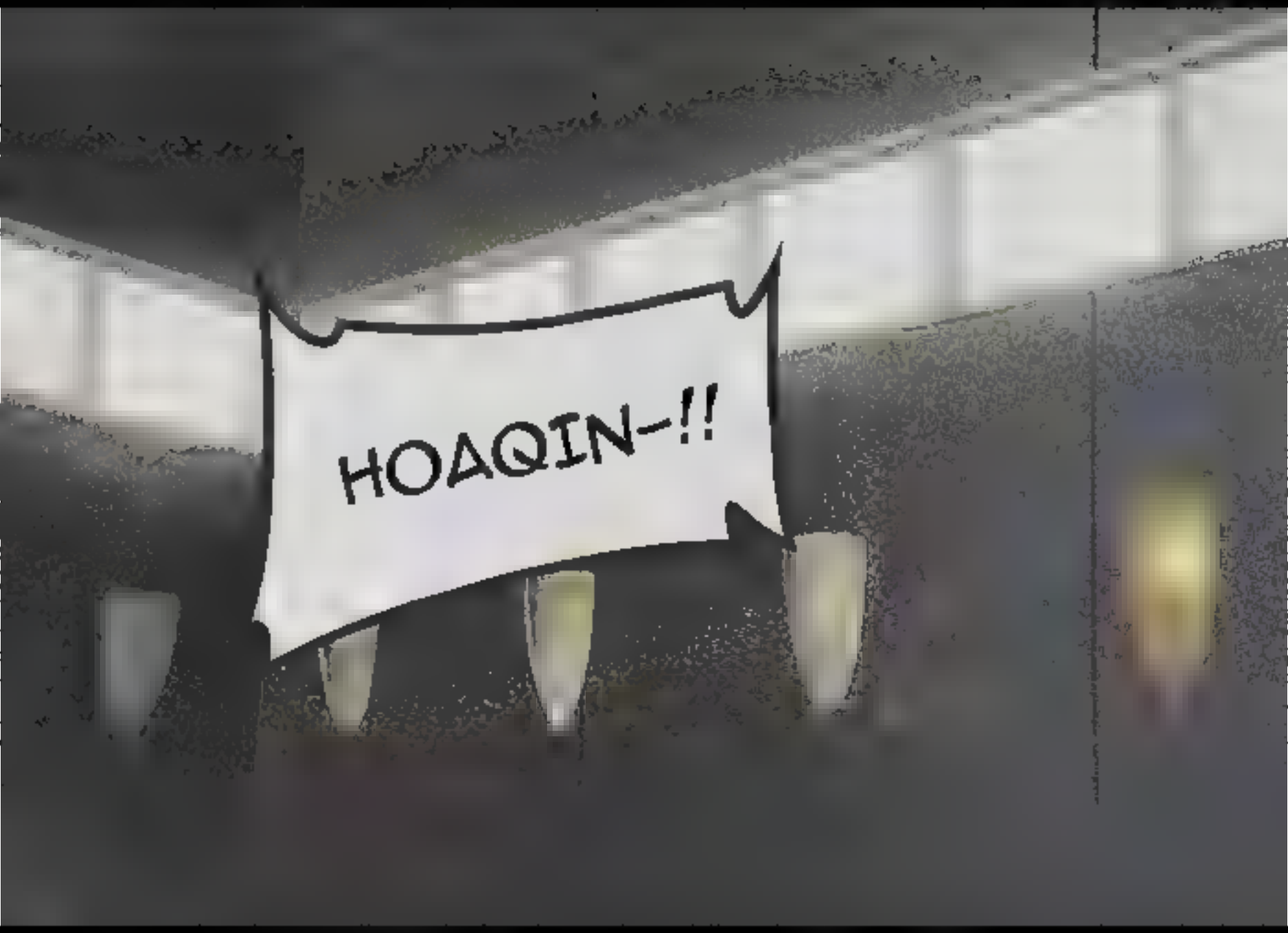
Tower of God

THE DAY BEFORE-
THE ROOM WHERE RACHEL'S TEAM WAS STAYING ON THE TRAIN


HOAQIN-!!

PLEASE ACCEPT US AS YOUR SERVANTS!!
WHISK

...WHAT?

WHEW... FIRST YOU BARGE IN HERE ALL OF A SUDDEN,
NOW WHAT ARE YOU RAMBLING ABOUT?

...THIS IS OBVIOUSLY A TRAP.
THEY'RE TRYING TO BREAK INTO OUR INNER LAIR
THESE USELESS IDIOTS SHOWED UP SINCE I ENTERED THE LOCATION ON EMILY TO LURE HOSTAGES.
WHEW...
AND SET A TRAP FOR US...
DO YOU REALLY THINK WE'RE GOING TO FALL FOR THAT?
N...NOT AT ALL!!

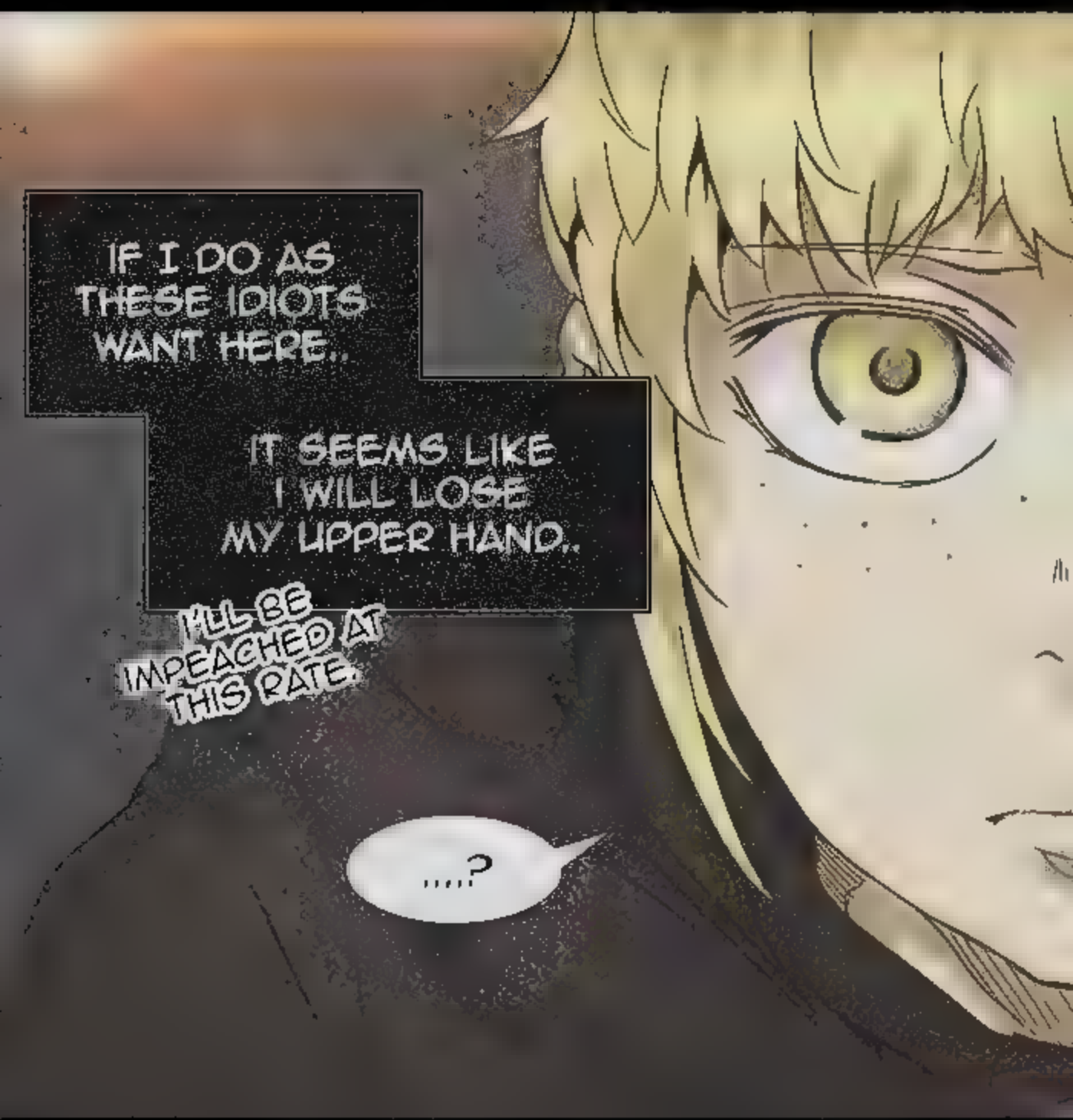
WE'RE HERE BECAUSE WE REALLY WANT TO BE HOAQIN'S SERVANTS!!
ACTUALLY, WE DIDN'T EVEN WANT TO BE ON THAT TEAM ANYMORE!!
PLEASE BELIEVE US!!
THESE FOOLS ALWAYS LOOKED DOWN ON ME, PRINCE!!
PLUS THEY TRIED TO FORCE US TO GO TO THE DANGEROUS FLOOR OF DEATH!!

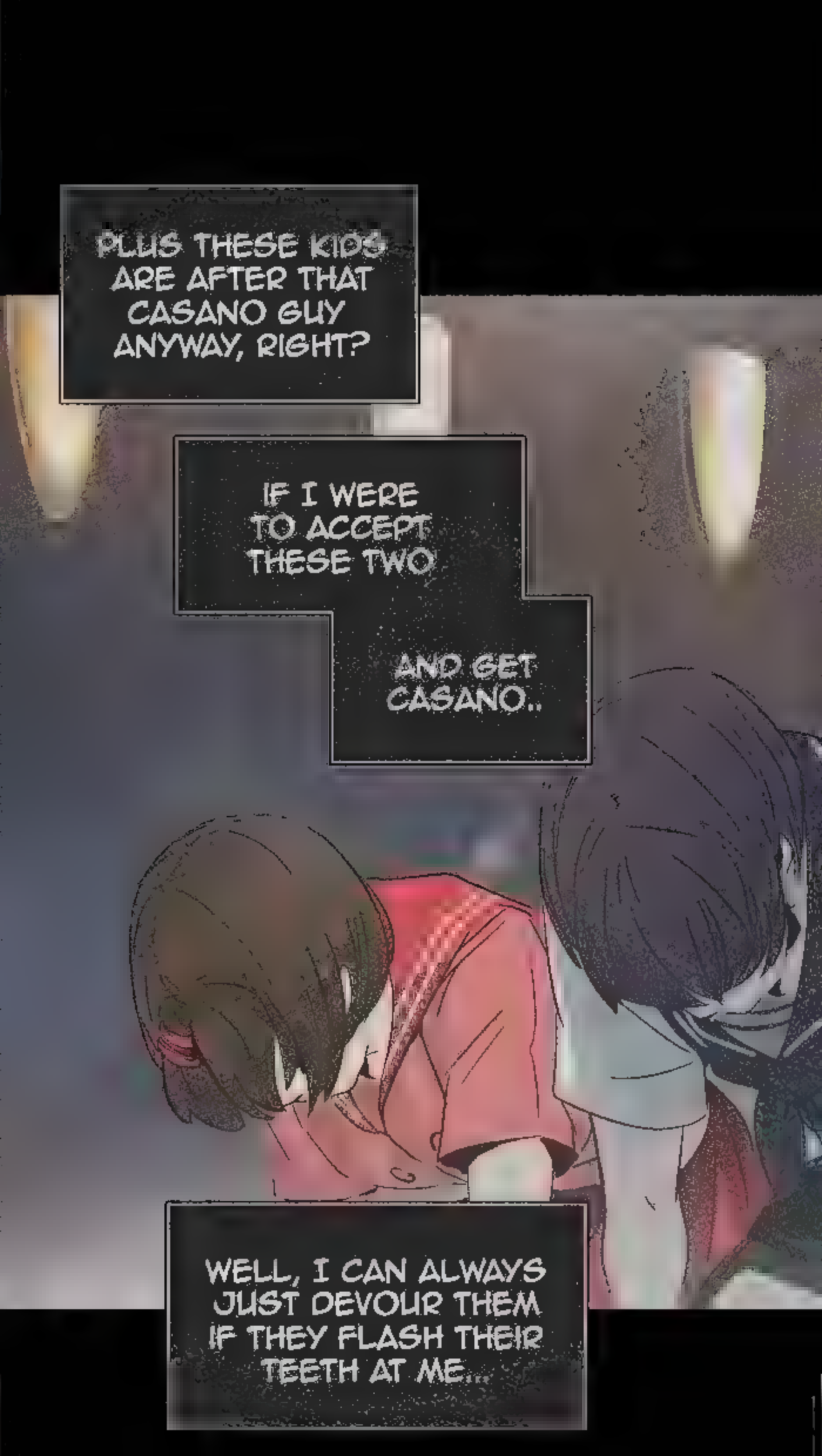
WE HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH ANY OF THAT!! WE DON'T EVEN WANT TO GO!!
HONEST
WE'LL HELP YOU FIND YOUR CLONE, HOAQIN!!
IN RETURN, LET THE TWO OF US GET OFF THE TRAIN AT THE NEXT STATION!!

PLEASE!!
PLEASE!
Bow

MAN-
DO YOU SERIOUSLY THINK WE'RE GOING TO FALL FOR THIS?
PATHETIC, REALLY.
AMPH-
.....

IT DOES DEFINITELY SEEM LIKE A TRAP
BUT COME TO THINK OF IT...

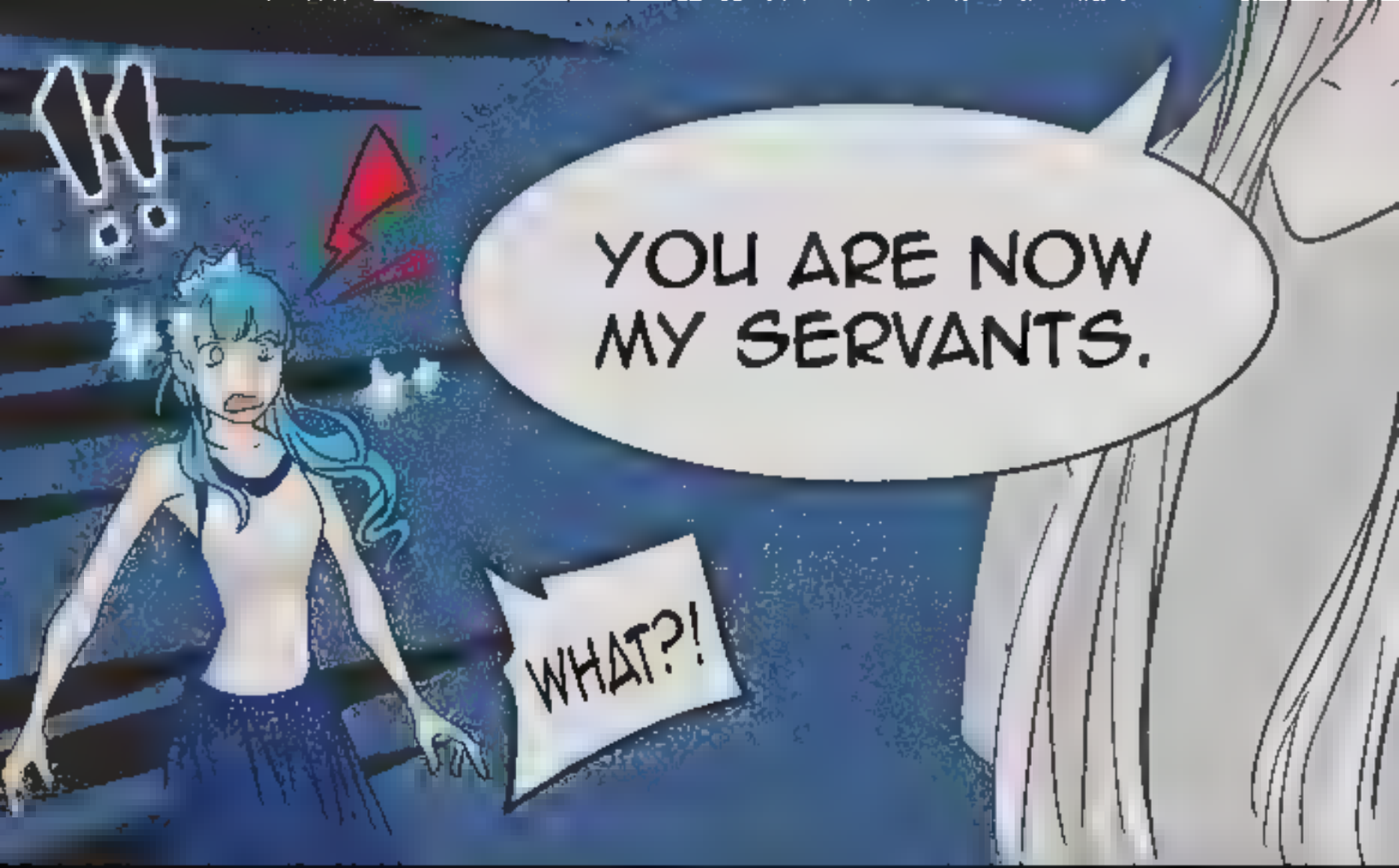

IF I DO AS THESE IDIOTS WANT HERE..
IT SEEMS LIKE I WILL LOSE MY UPPER HAND..
I'LL BE IMPEACHED AT THIS RATE.
.....?


PLUS THESE KIDS ARE AFTER THAT CASANO GUY ANYWAY, RIGHT?
IF I WERE TO ACCEPT THESE TWO
AND GET CASANO..
WELL, I CAN ALWAYS JUST DEVOUR THEM IF THEY FLASH THEIR TEETH AT ME...

FINE.
I'LL DO IT.

ALRIGHT.

I'LL ACCEPT YOU.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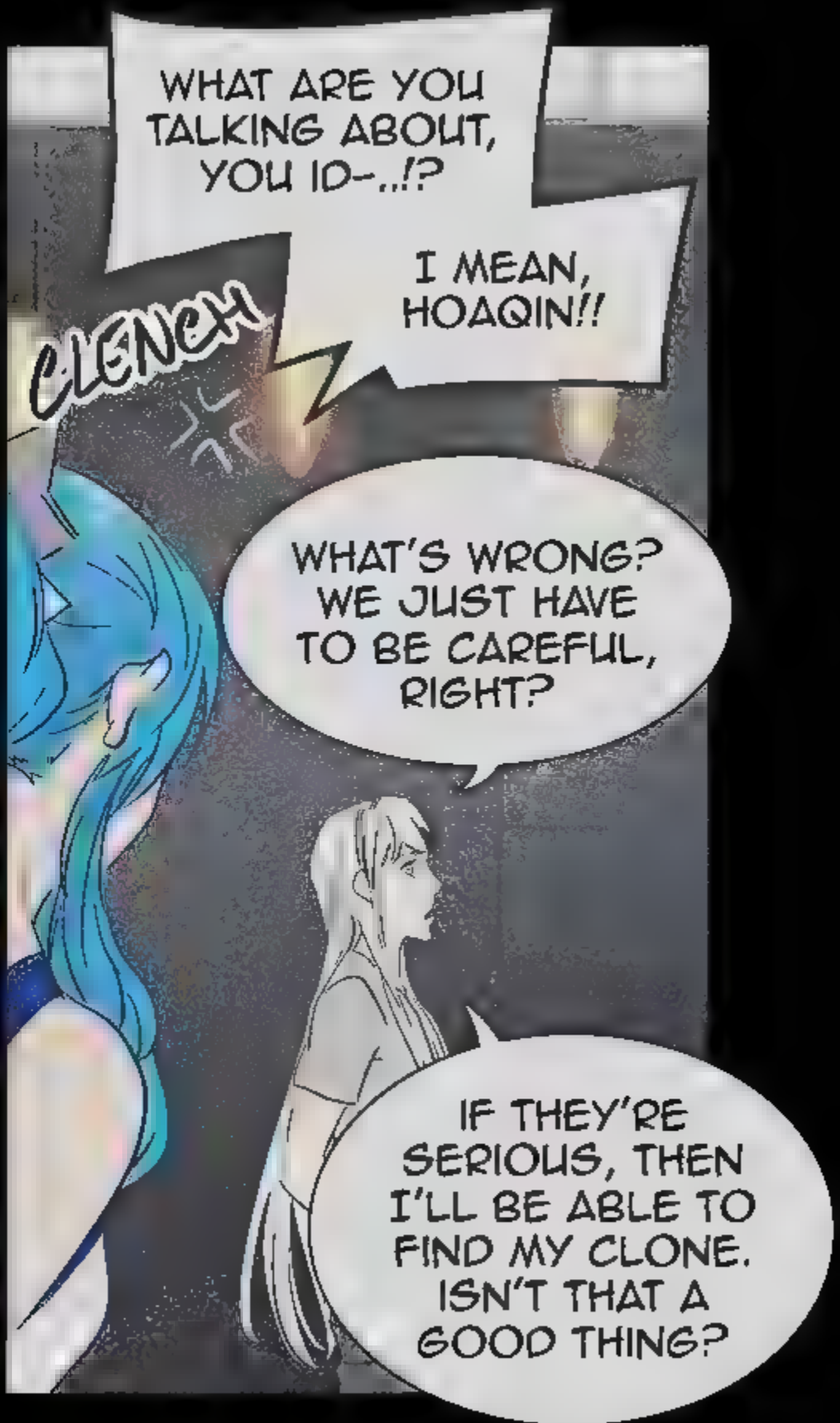
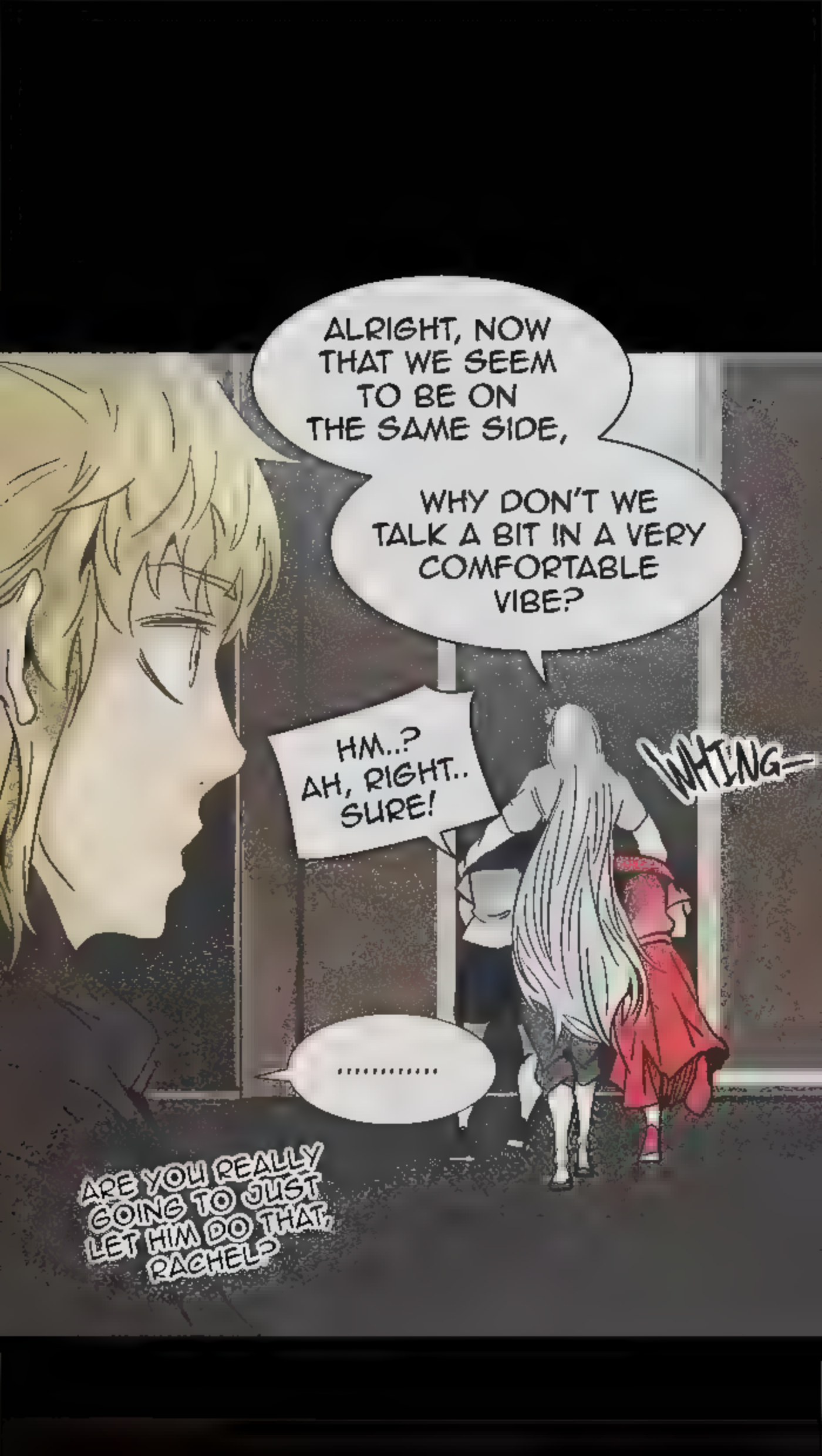
YOU ARE NOW MY SERVANTS.
WHAT?!

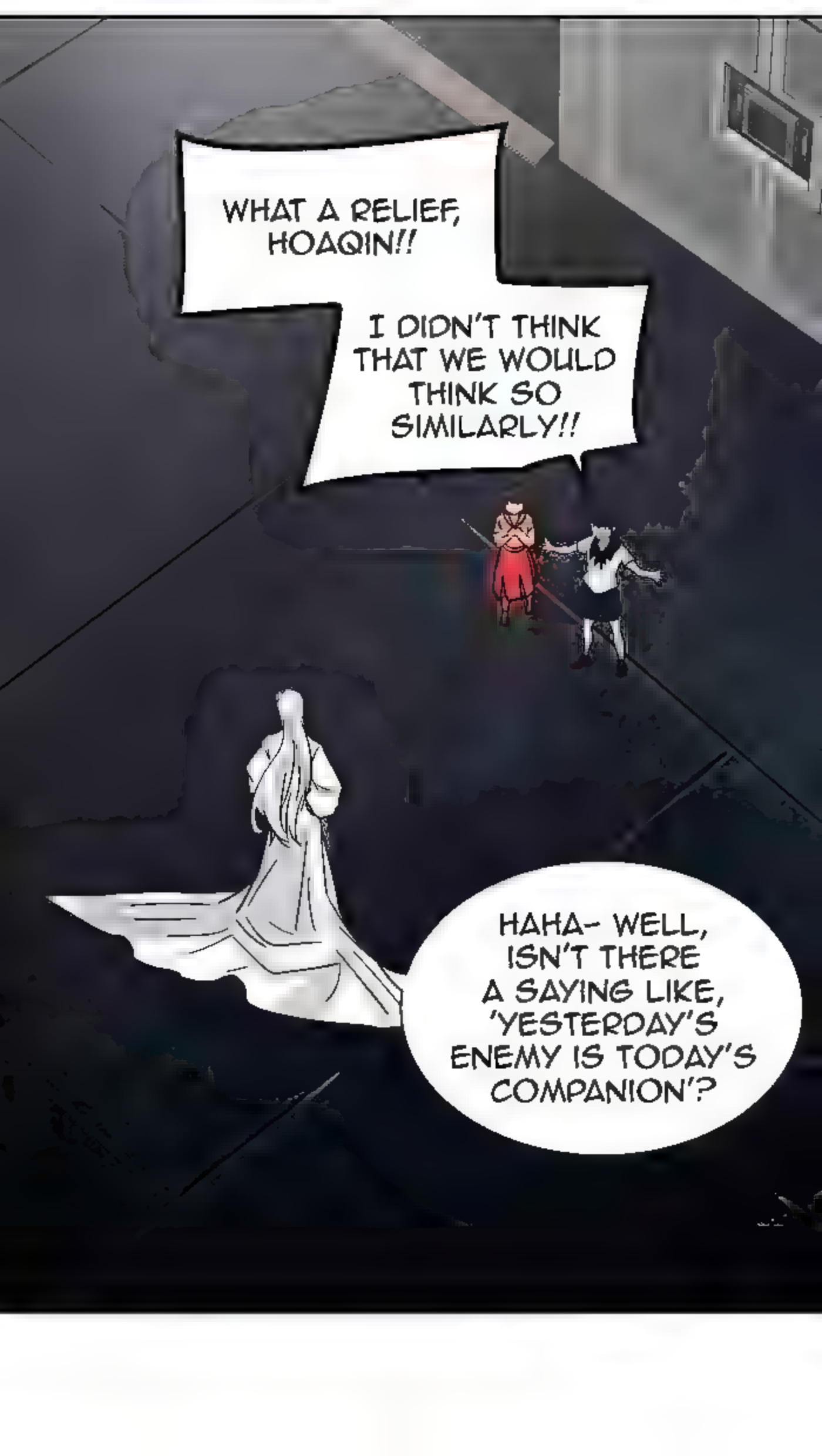

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT, YOU ID-..!?
I MEAN, HOAQIN!!
CLENCH
WHAT'S WRONG? WE JUST HAVE TO BE CAREFUL, RIGHT?
IF THEY'RE SERIOUS, THEN I'LL BE ABLE TO FIND MY CLONE. ISN'T THAT A GOOD THING?

I'LL TAKE RESPONSIBILITY.
YOU GUYS DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.

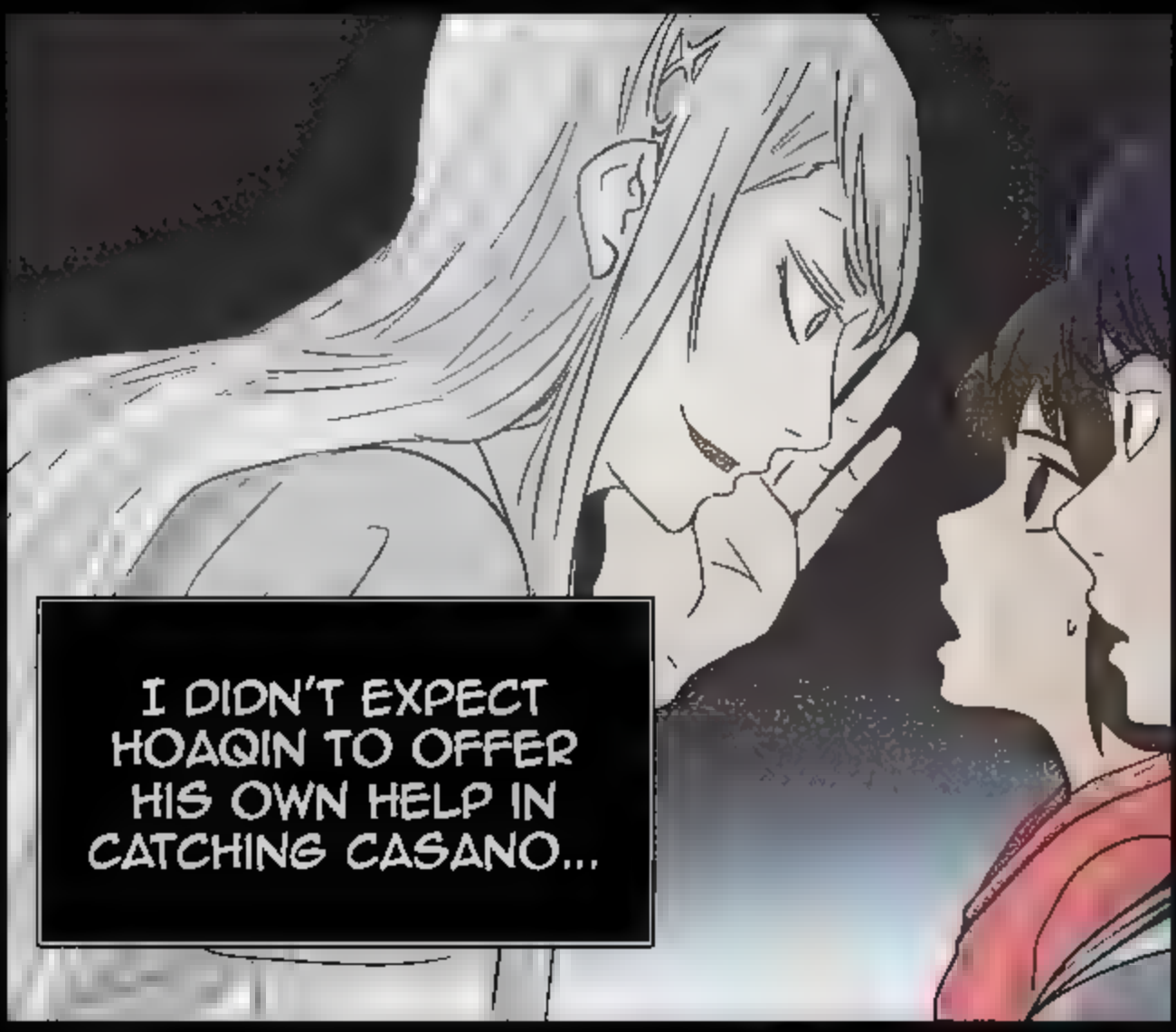
NOW, COME ON!!
I'LL KEEP YOU GUYS WITH ME!
AH!! REALLY?!
AREN'T YOU GOING TO SAY SOMETHING?!
HA HA HA
THANK YOU!!


ALRIGHT, NOW THAT WE SEEM TO BE ON THE SAME SIDE,
WHY DON'T WE TALK A BIT IN A VERY COMFORTABLE VIBE?
HM..? AH, RIGHT.. SURE!
WHING—
.....
ARE YOU REALLY GOING TO JUST LET HIM DO THAT, RACHEL?

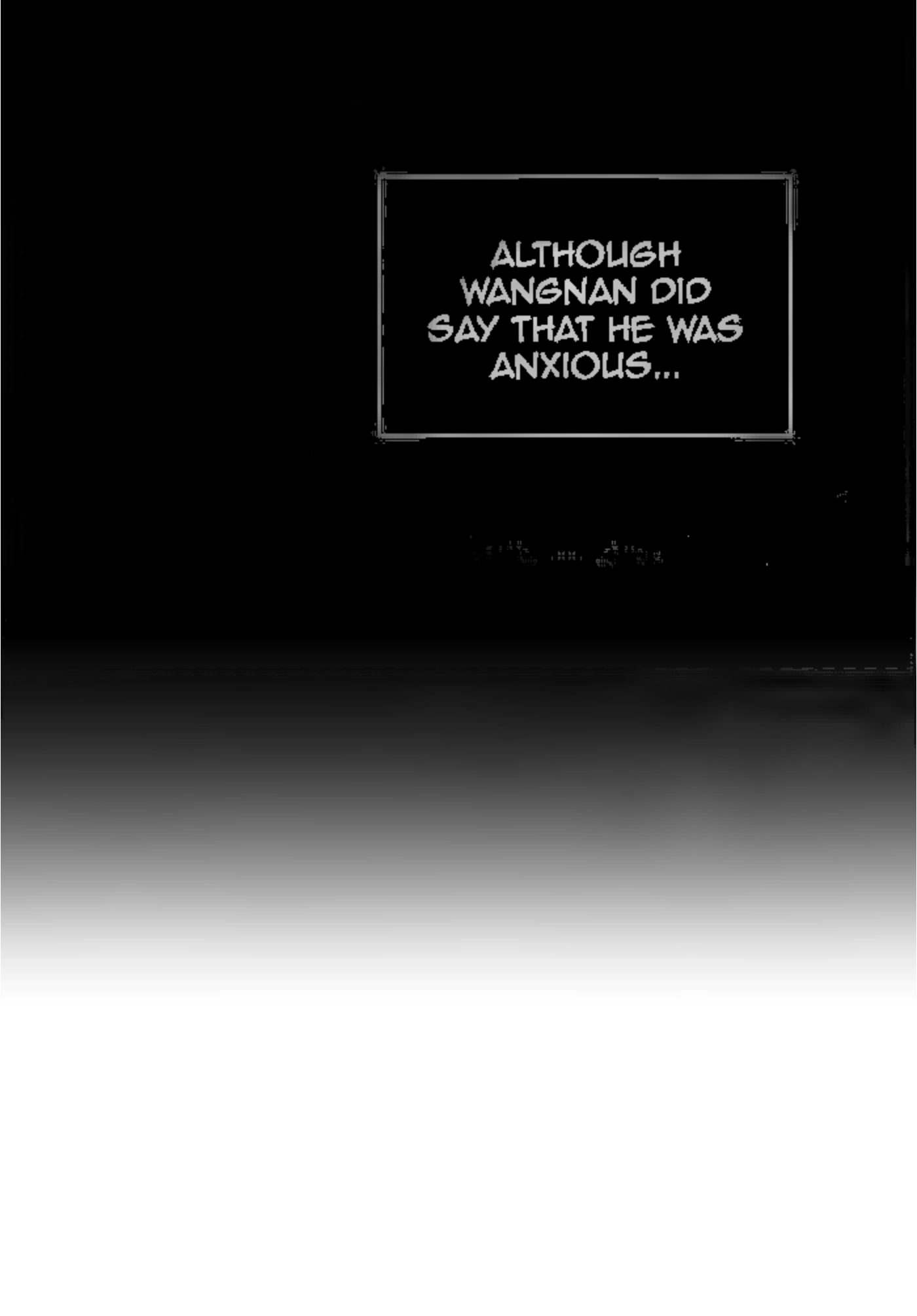
THE PRESENT


WHAT A RELIEF, HOAQIN!!
I DIDN'T THINK THAT WE WOULD THINK SO SIMILARLY!!
HAHA- WELL, ISN'T THERE A SAYING LIKE, 'YESTERDAY'S ENEMY IS TODAY'S COMPANION'?

I ONLY DID THIS BECAUSE I THOUGHT I HAD TO INFILTRATE INTO HIS TEAM SOMEHOW...
I NEVER THOUGHT IT WOULD GO THIS SMOOTHLY...
I DIDN'T THINK THERE WOULD BE INTERNAL CONFLICT GOING ON AMONG THESE GUYS...!!



I USED RACHEL'S BEING AWAY AS A CHANCE TO GET CASANO ALONE...


ALTHOUGH WANGNAN DID SAY THAT HE WAS ANXIOUS...

WELL- THERE'S NO NEED TO THANK ME TOO MUCH.
IT'S GOOD FOR ME TOO IF THAT B!TCH HAS A COUPLE LESS HENCHMEN.
NOD
NOD
I GET TO WEAKEN THEIR POWER AND YOU GUYS CAN ACHIEVE YOUR GOAL AND LEAVE THE TRAIN. IT'S TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE.

ALTHOUGH...
ULTIMATELY, IT ALL DEPENDS ON HOW WELL THAT YELLOW KID DOES.

CRASH
KSH
UGH-!!

WHOOSH
!!

WHISH

THE TWO OF US FINALLY MEET.
BENIAMINO CASANO-
Tsssssssss_
YOU...

I'M HORYANG'S COMPANION, WANGNAN JAH.
TODAY, I'M FINALLY GOING TO GET BACK HORYANG'S DEMON THAT YOU STOLE.
CLANG

YOU MAY HAVE BEEN LUCKY ENOUGH TO ESCAPE IN TRAIN CITY, BUT NOT THIS TIME.

LET'S HURRY UP AND SETTLE THIS BEFORE ANYONE ELSE GETS HERE!!

STRETCH—

STRETCH—

.....LUCKY ENOUGH TO ESCAPE?

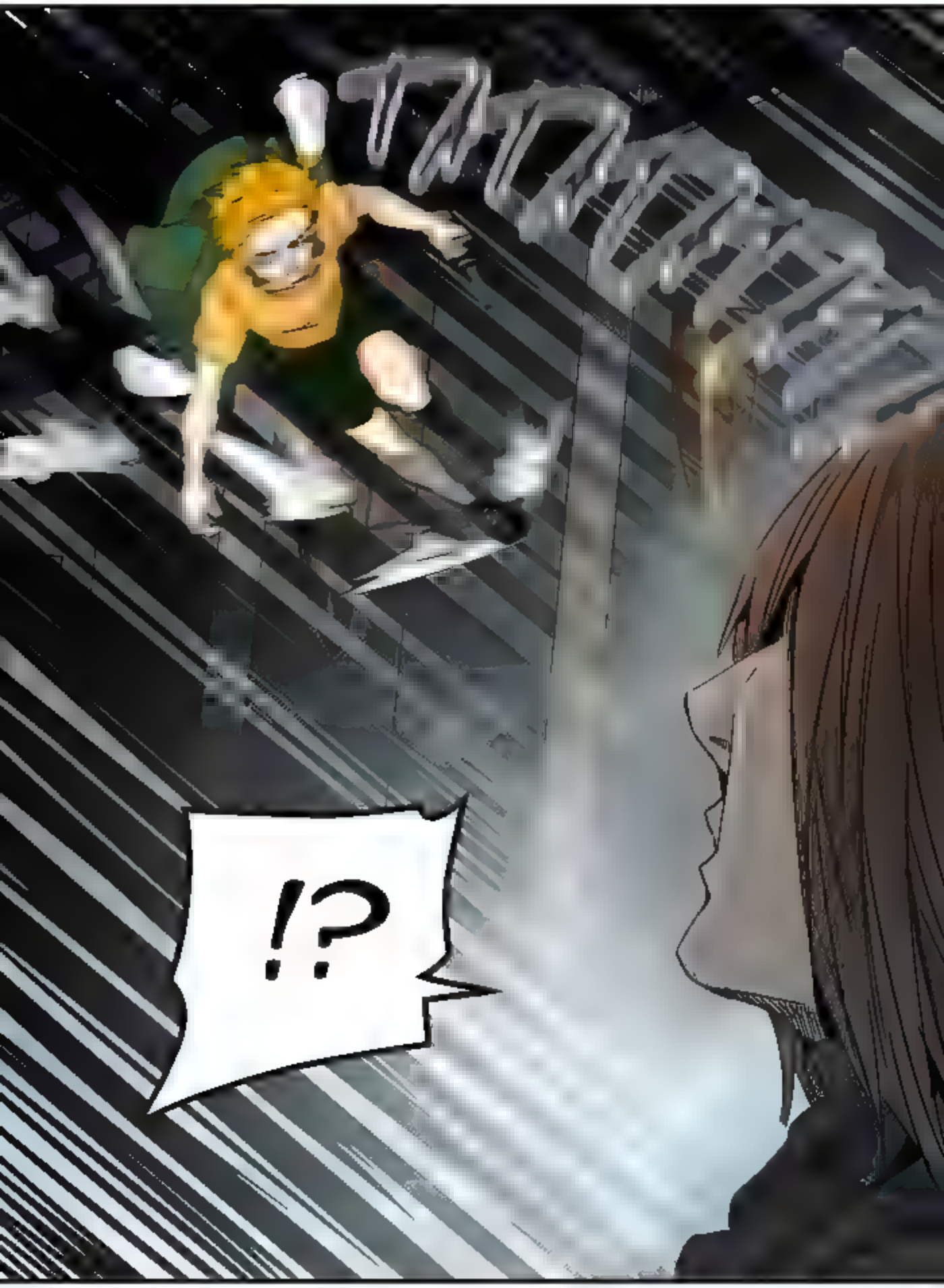
DO YOU REALLY THINK THAT YOU CAN BEAT ME?
YOU'RE SERIOUSLY MISTAKEN.
YOU MAY BE AN ORDINARY REGULAR BUT I'M THE LIVING IGNITION WEAPON CREATED IN THE WORKSHOP.

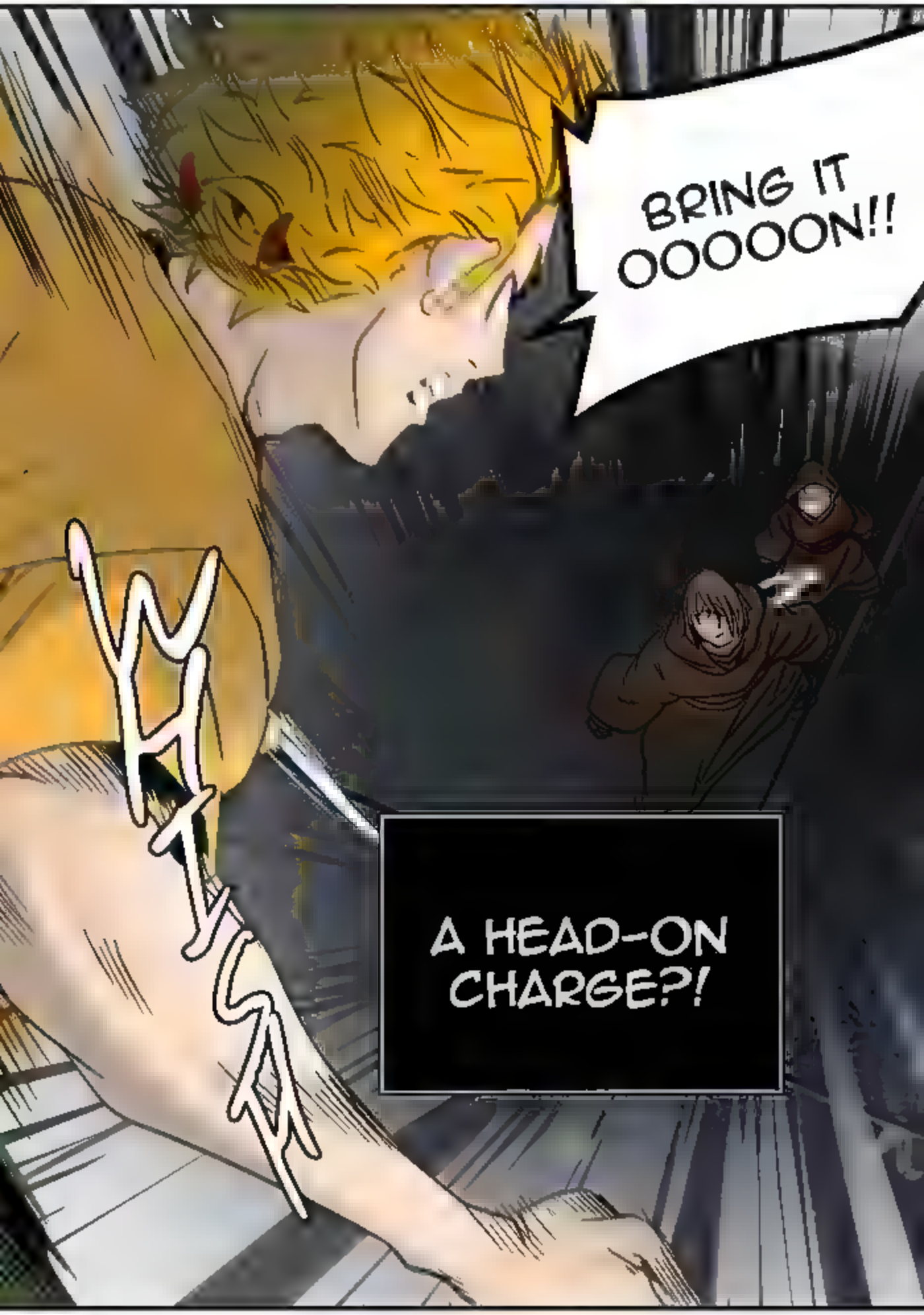
THERE'S NO WAY YOU CAN DEFEAT ME.
DON'T BE RIDICULOUS-!
SWOOSH

SWOOP
IT'S NOT OVER!!

UNTIL
IT'S OVER!!

AAAAHHHH-!!




BRING IT OOOOON!!
A HEAD-ON CHARGE?!

STAB

IS THIS A JOKE!?

SHHH

AGH-!!
WHAM
CRASH-

AAAGHH...
UGH...
AGH...!!
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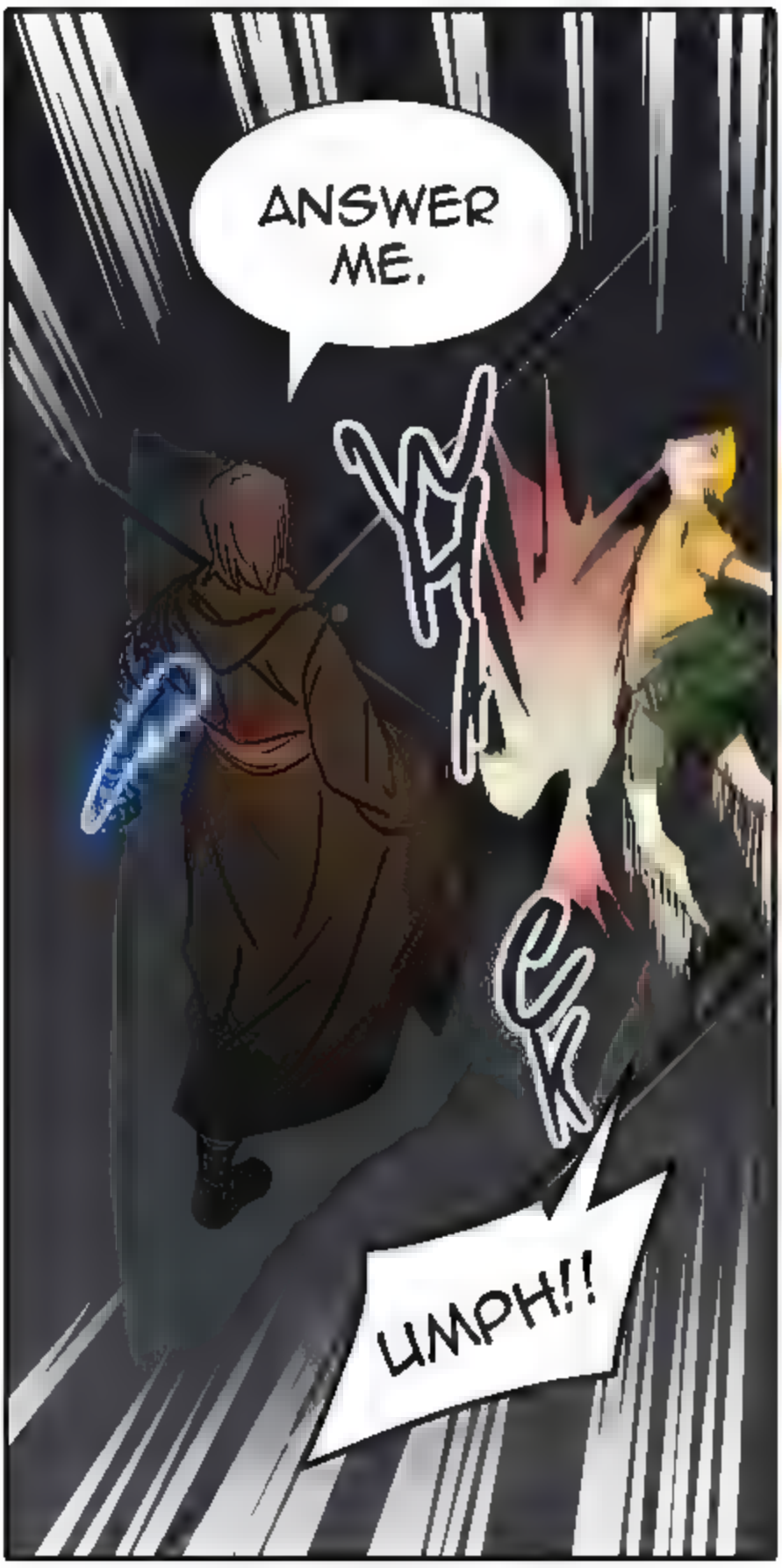
WHAT'S THIS SYRINGE?
WHAT DID YOU DO?
AGH!!
AGH!!


ANSWER ME.
WHEK
UMPH!!

HEHEHE...
THAT SYRINGE THAT I JUST INJECTED YOU WITH...
STUMBLE
STUMBLE

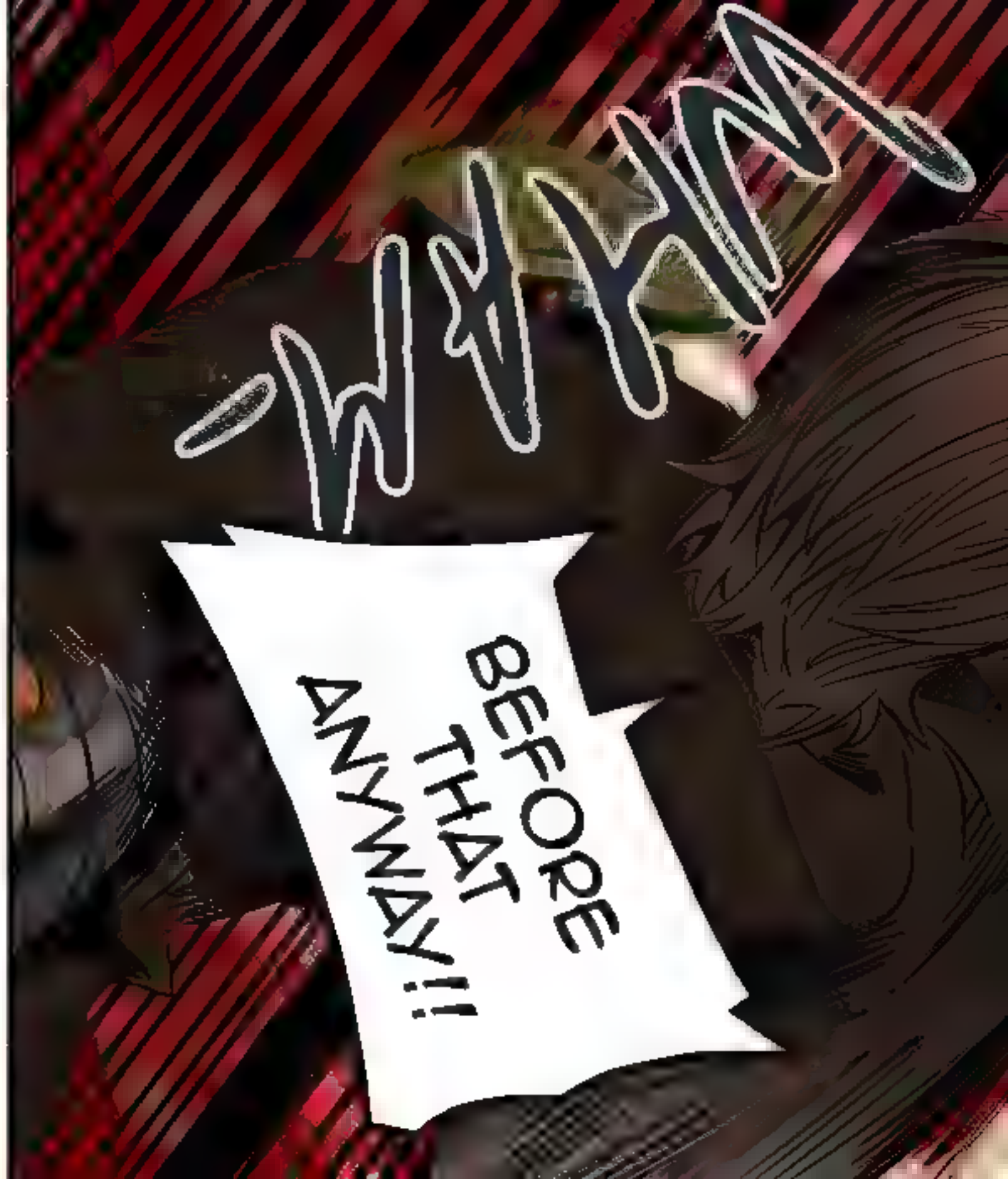
IS A DRUG TO PUT THE DEMON WITHIN YOU TO SLEEP FOR A MOMENT.
...!!
S...SOPHIA GAVE IT TO ME.
THAT ANTIMATTER BOMB THAT I USED WAS ALSO FILLED WITH THIS DRUG..

IN FIVE MINUTES FROM NOW..
YOU'LL COMPLETELY PASS OUT.

...FIVE MINUTES.

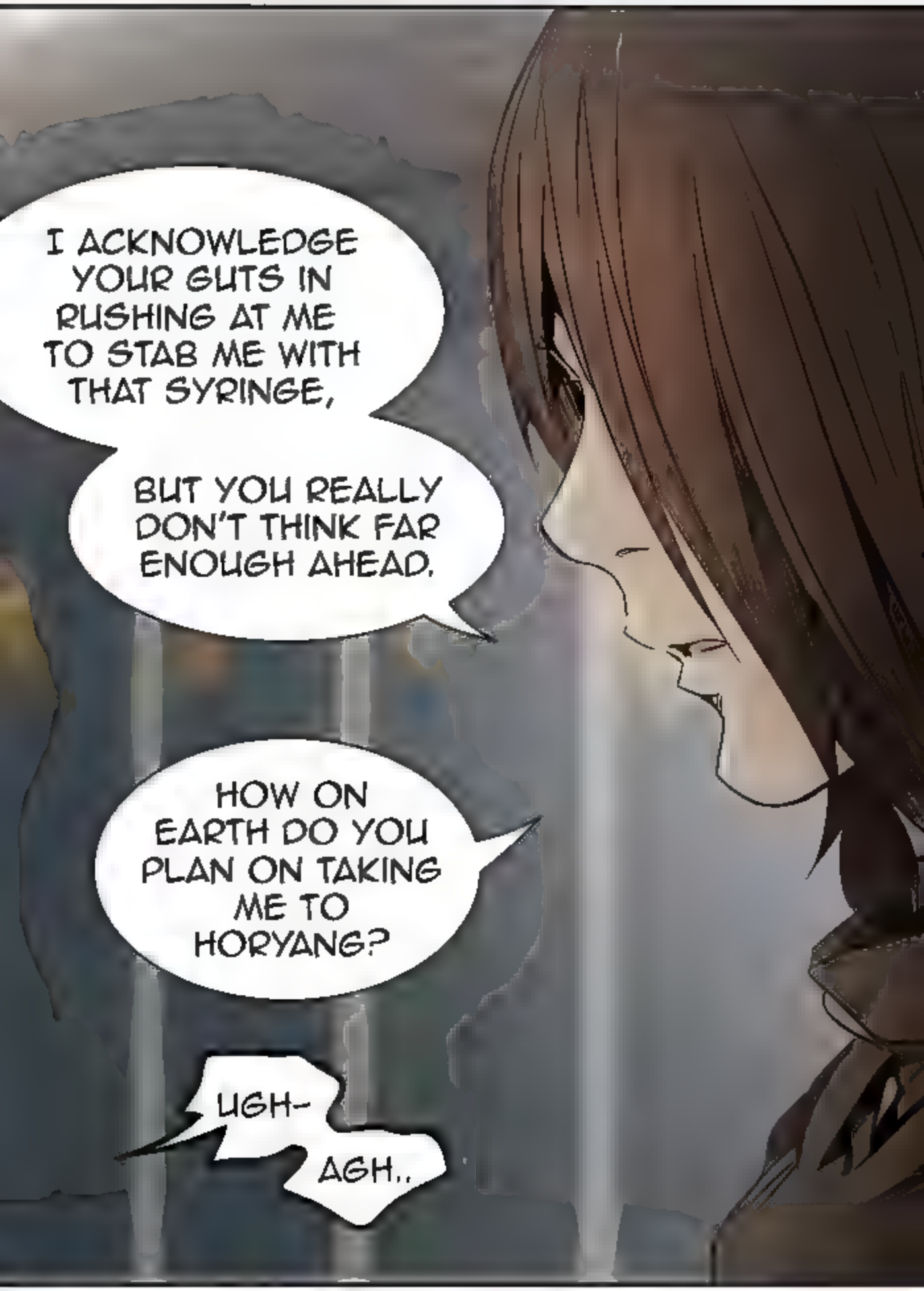
DO YOU THINK THAT YOU CAN LAST THAT LONG RIGHT NOW?
SHIK-
SHIK-
UGH-
UMPH-

WHISH
YOU'LL BE DEAD-


WHAT
BEFORE THAT ANYWAY!!

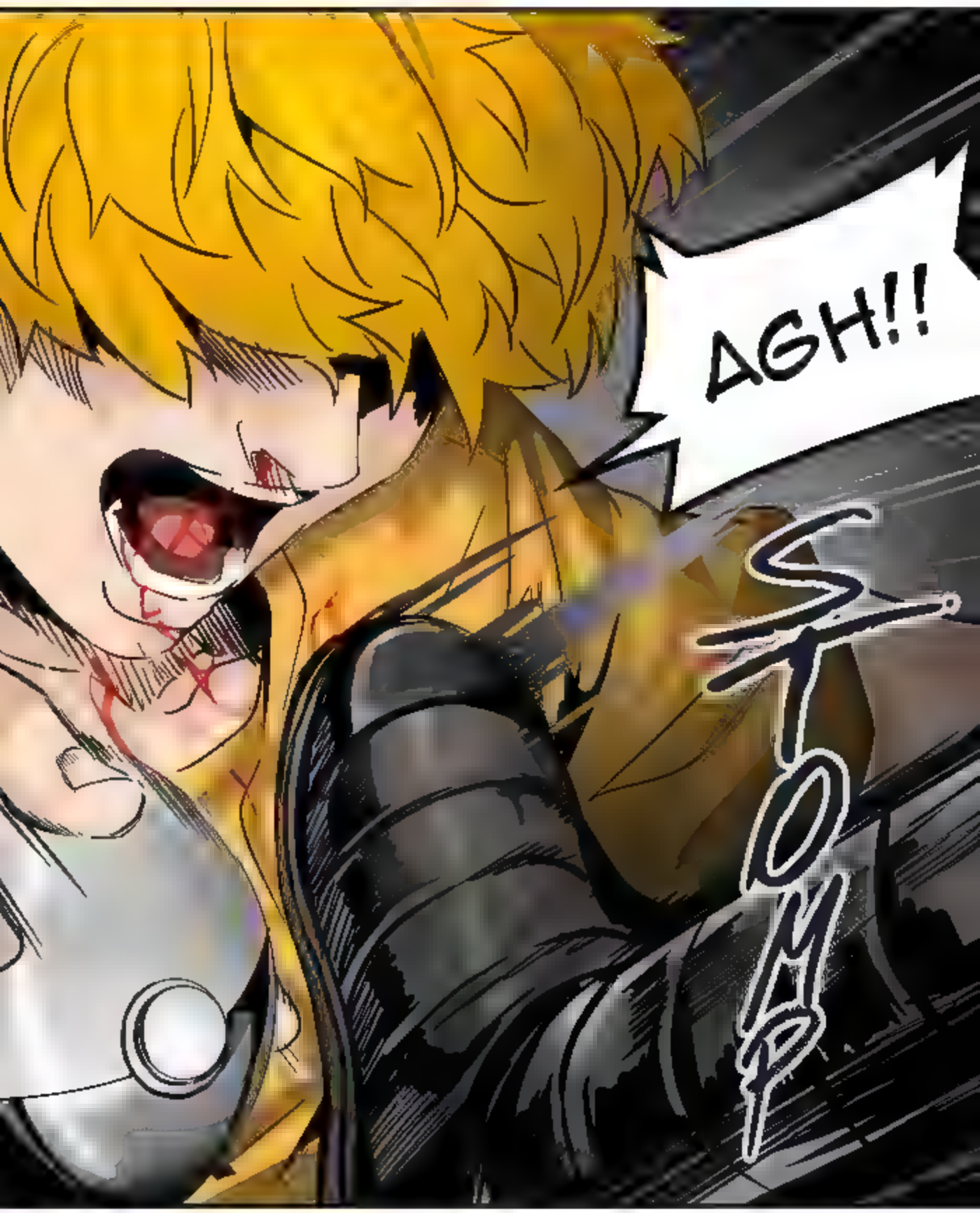
CRASH
AGH!!

AAAGHH..
AAHH..
STEP-
STEP-
SLLLL


I ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR GUTS IN RUSHING AT ME TO STAB ME WITH THAT SYRINGE,
BUT YOU REALLY DON'T THINK FAR ENOUGH AHEAD.
HOW ON EARTH DO YOU PLAN ON TAKING ME TO HORYANG?
UGH-
AGH..

THIS BALL...

THIS BALL CAN CONTAIN YOU FOR A FEW DAYS WHEN YOU'RE UNCONSCIOUS.
SOPHIA MADE THIS FOR ME TOO.
I'M GOING TO TRAP YOU IN HERE AND SEND YOU TO HORYANG IF IT'S THE LAST THING I DO.


AGH!!
STOP

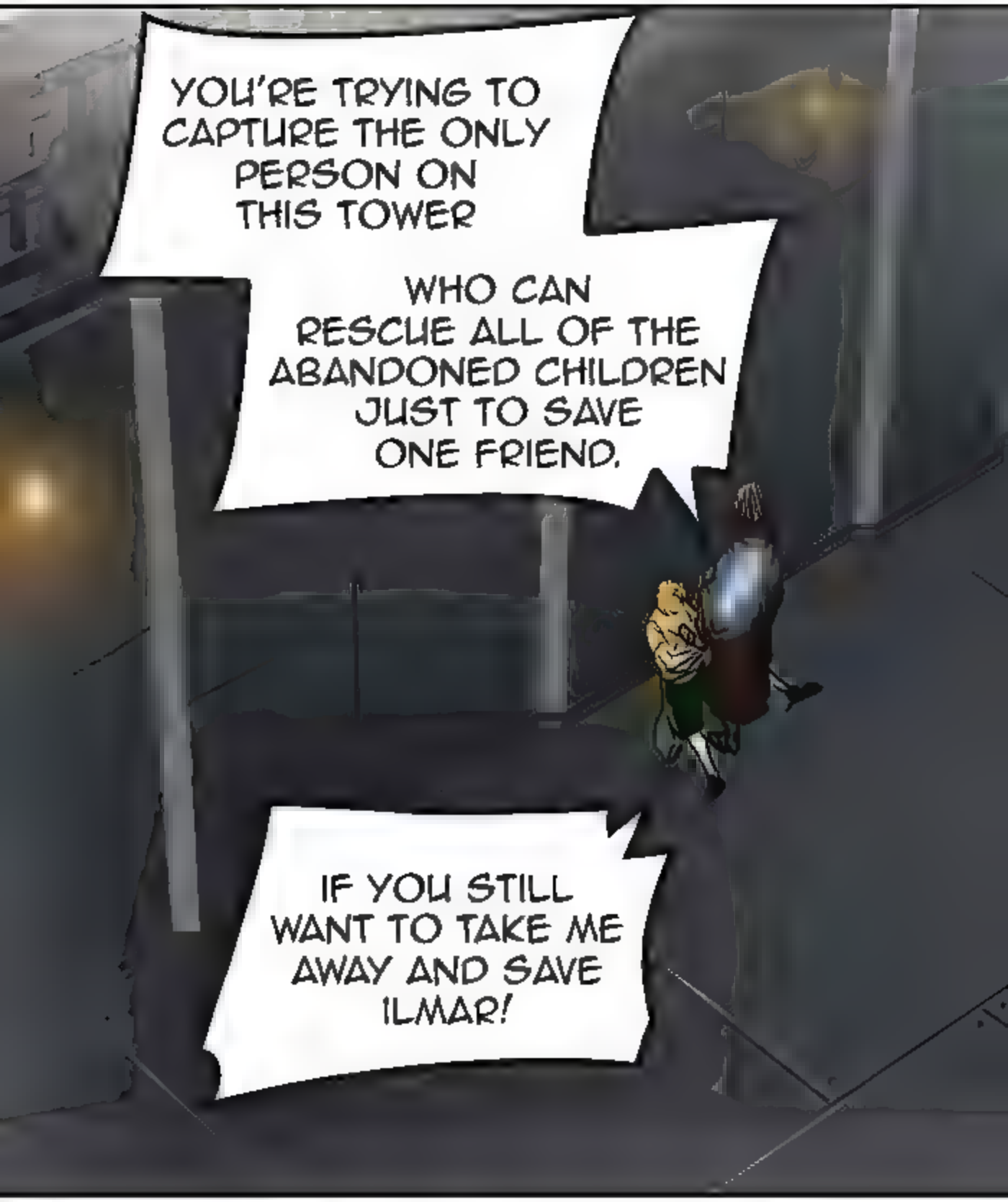
...WHAT'S THAT GOING TO CHANGE?
BRINGING A SINGLE FRIEND BACK TO LIFE?
UGH... UHH!!

BUT I CAN CHANGE THIS WORLD IF I CLIMB THE TOWER!!
I'M THE ONLY REGULAR HUMAN BEING ON THE TOWER WHO'S BECOME ONE WITH SHINSU!!
I GIVE HOPE TO ALL OF THE ABANDONED BASTARDS ON THIS TOWER!!
IF I USE EMILY AND GATHER ALL THE POOR KIDS ON THE TOWER AND GIVE THEM THE SAME POWER AS MINE... THERE WON'T BE ANY MORE SCAPEGOATS LIKE ME OR ILMAR!!

I'M GOING TO GATHER THEIR POWER AND USE IT AS THE BASIS TO REFORM AND CHANGE THIS TOWER!!

I'M GOING TO CONTINUE THE TASK MYSELF THAT SOPHIA GAVE UP ON!!

GOT IT?!


YOU'RE TRYING TO CAPTURE THE ONLY PERSON ON THIS TOWER
WHO CAN RESCUE ALL OF THE ABANDONED CHILDREN JUST TO SAVE ONE FRIEND.
IF YOU STILL WANT TO TAKE ME AWAY AND SAVE ILMAR!

THEN YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO COME ALL THE WAY HERE.

YOU'RE JUST AN UNWORTHY VESSEL WHO HAS MANAGED TO GET THIS FAR BY SHEER LUCK.

.....

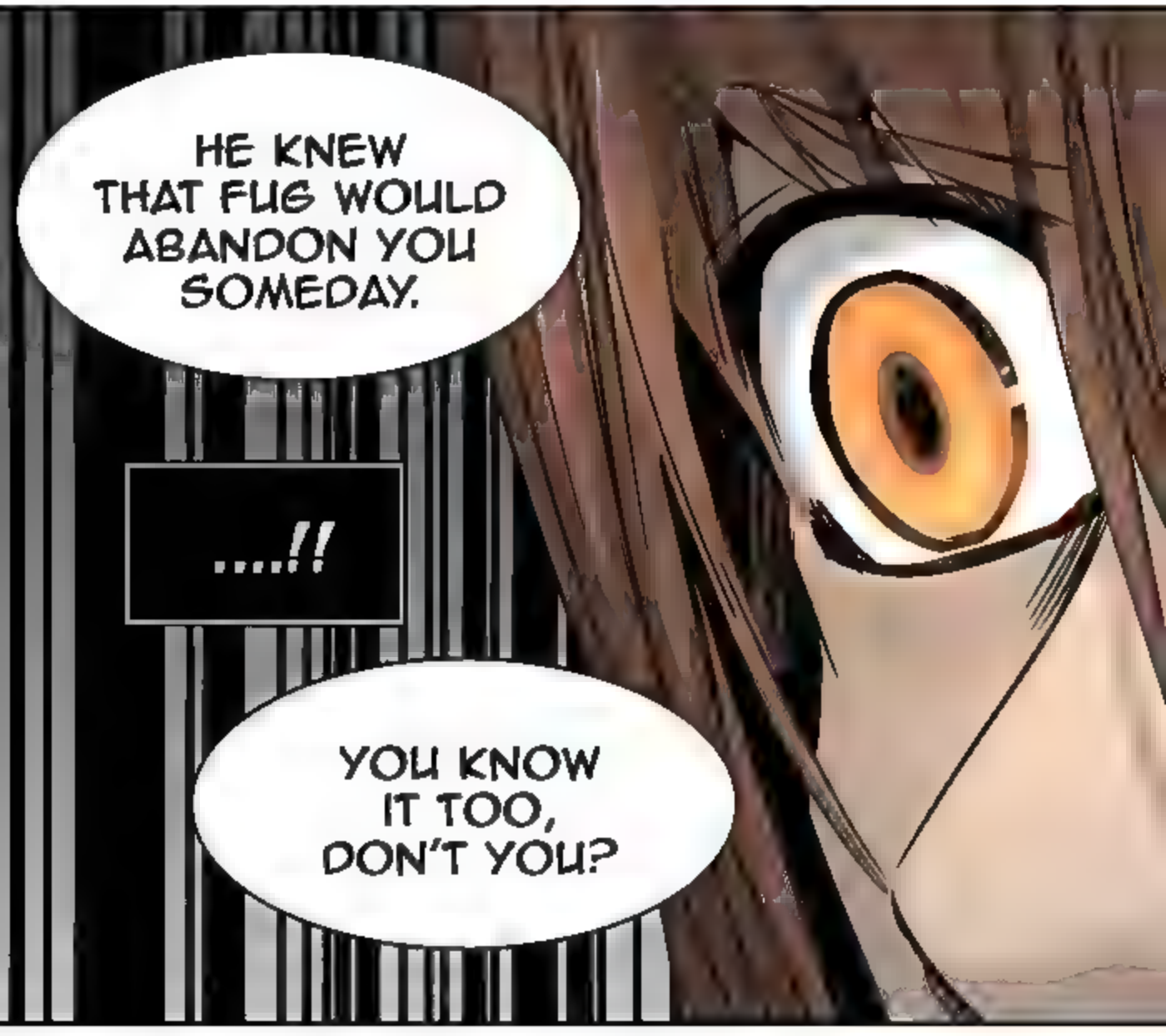
HUFF-

HUFF-

CUT THE CRAP...

...?
I'VE NEVER SEEN A DECENT PERSON AMONG THOSE WHO SAY THEY'RE GOING TO SAVE THE WORLD
WHILE FORSAKING THE PEOPLE AROUND THEM.
THOSE TYPES OF MEN ARE ALWAYS SO INTOXICATED BY THEIR OWN HOLLOW DREAMS THAT THEY CALL EVERY LITTLE THING IN FRONT OF THEM TRIVIAL.

YOU THINK I'M AN UNWORTHY VESSEL...?
WHY DON'T YOU TAKE A LOOK AROUND YOU?
DO YOU SEE ANYONE AT ALL WHO GENUINELY BELIEVES WHAT YOU'RE SAYING?
YOU'RE JUST A CHESS PIECE THAT THEY LIKE TO USE.
HORYANG TRIED TO STOP YOU BECAUSE HE KNEW IT TOO.


HE KNEW THAT FUG WOULD ABANDON YOU SOMEDAY.
....!!
YOU KNOW IT TOO, DON'T YOU?

SMASH

AAAAAA
HHHHHHH!!

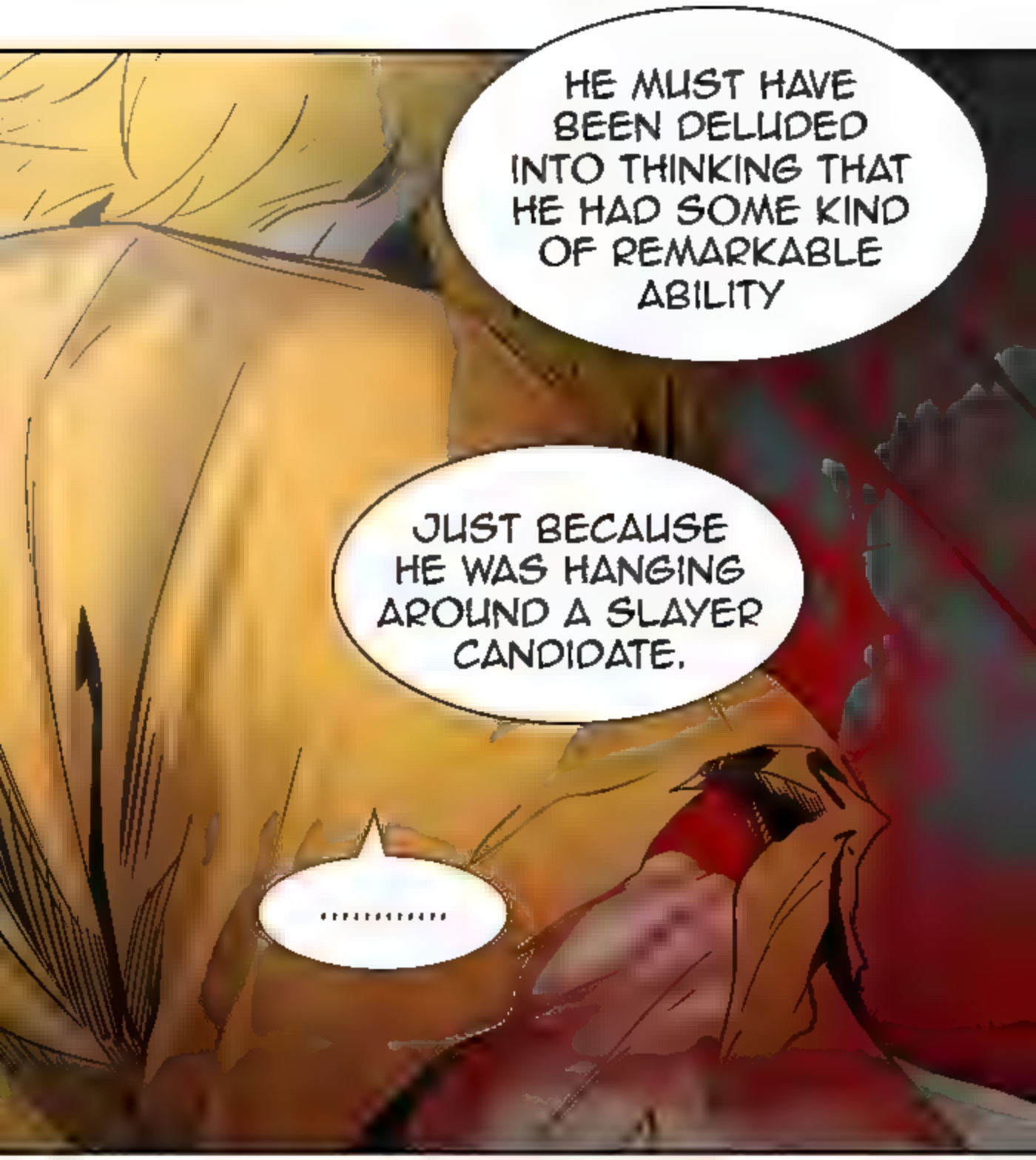
AAAAAAAA
HHHHHHHH!!
AAAAHHHH!!

CASANO!!
WHAM

STOP IT, CASANO!!
THE BALL IS COMPLETELY DESTROYED TOO!!
HUFF—
HUFF—
THAT'S ENOUGH!!

....SCREW OFF.

THAT LITTLE PUNK DOESN'T EVEN HAVE ANY CLEAR IDEALS
OR ABILITIES.
HE'S JUST A BIGMOUTHED LITTLE PUNK
WHO LIKES TO TELL EVERYONE ELSE HOW TO LIVE.

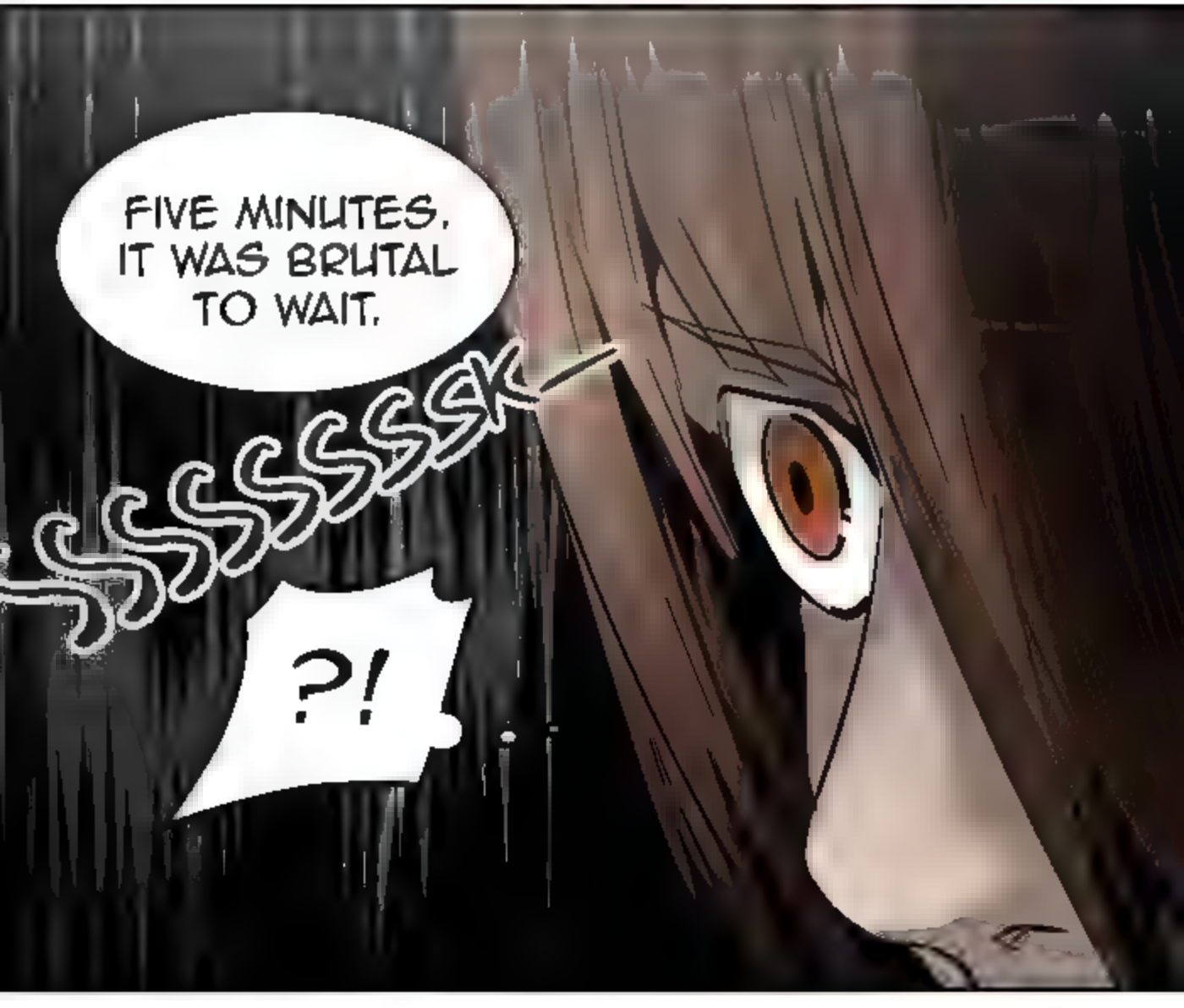

HE MUST HAVE BEEN DELUDED INTO THINKING THAT HE HAD SOME KIND OF REMARKABLE ABILITY
JUST BECAUSE HE WAS HANGING AROUND A SLAYER CANDIDATE.
.....

STUMBLE
CASANO!!

HAS IT ALREADY BEEN FIVE MINUTES?

I'VE DEALT WITH HIM SO IT DOESN'T MATTER ANYWAY..

YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE STUMBLING NOW.


FIVE MINUTES.
IT WAS BRUTAL
TO WAIT.
SSSSSSK
?!

CRA
AGH!!!

CASANO!!

STEP-
CASANO!!
STEP-
I WOULD HAVE JUMPED IN RIGHT AWAY IF I HADN'T PROMISED WANGNAN NOT TO GET INVOLVED AT ALL.

I WANTED TO JUMP IN THERE SO MANY TIMES..!!
BUT I HELD BACK, AGAIN AND AGAIN..!!

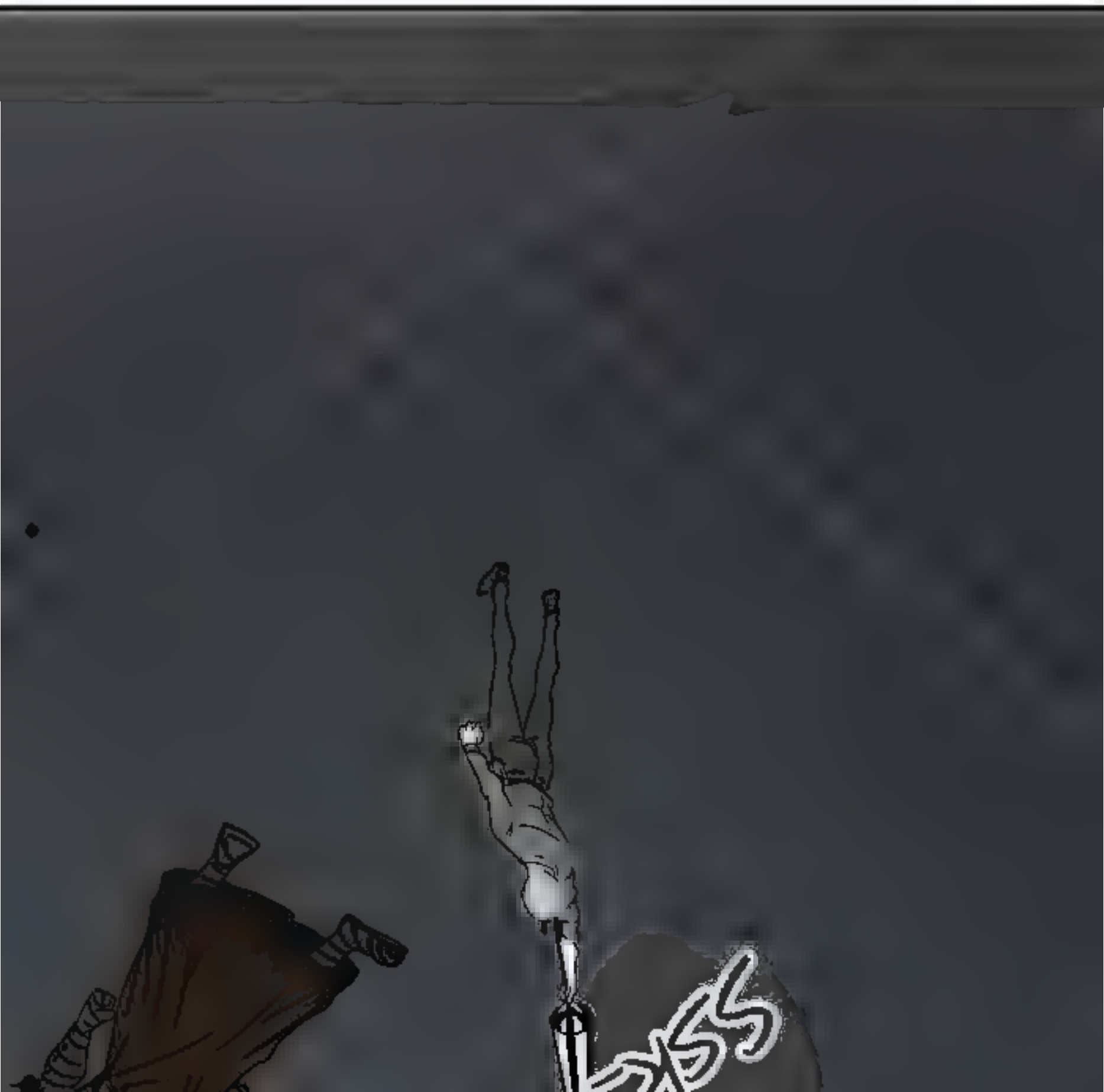
THESE BASTARDS...!!
LEAVING HIS OWN COMPANION TO DIE LIKE THAT JUST SO HE WOULDN'T GET CAUGHT..!!
WAITING FOR ME TO FALL ASLEEP...!!
UGH-

YOU SURE LOOKED LIKE YOU ENJOYED BEATING HIM.
DAMNIT...
CASANO!!
WAKE UP!!
MY BODY WON'T MOVE..
YOU FELL FOR WANGNAN'S PROVOCATION..

WITHOUT EVEN REALIZING THAT YOU HAD FALLEN INTO A TRAP-
...?!

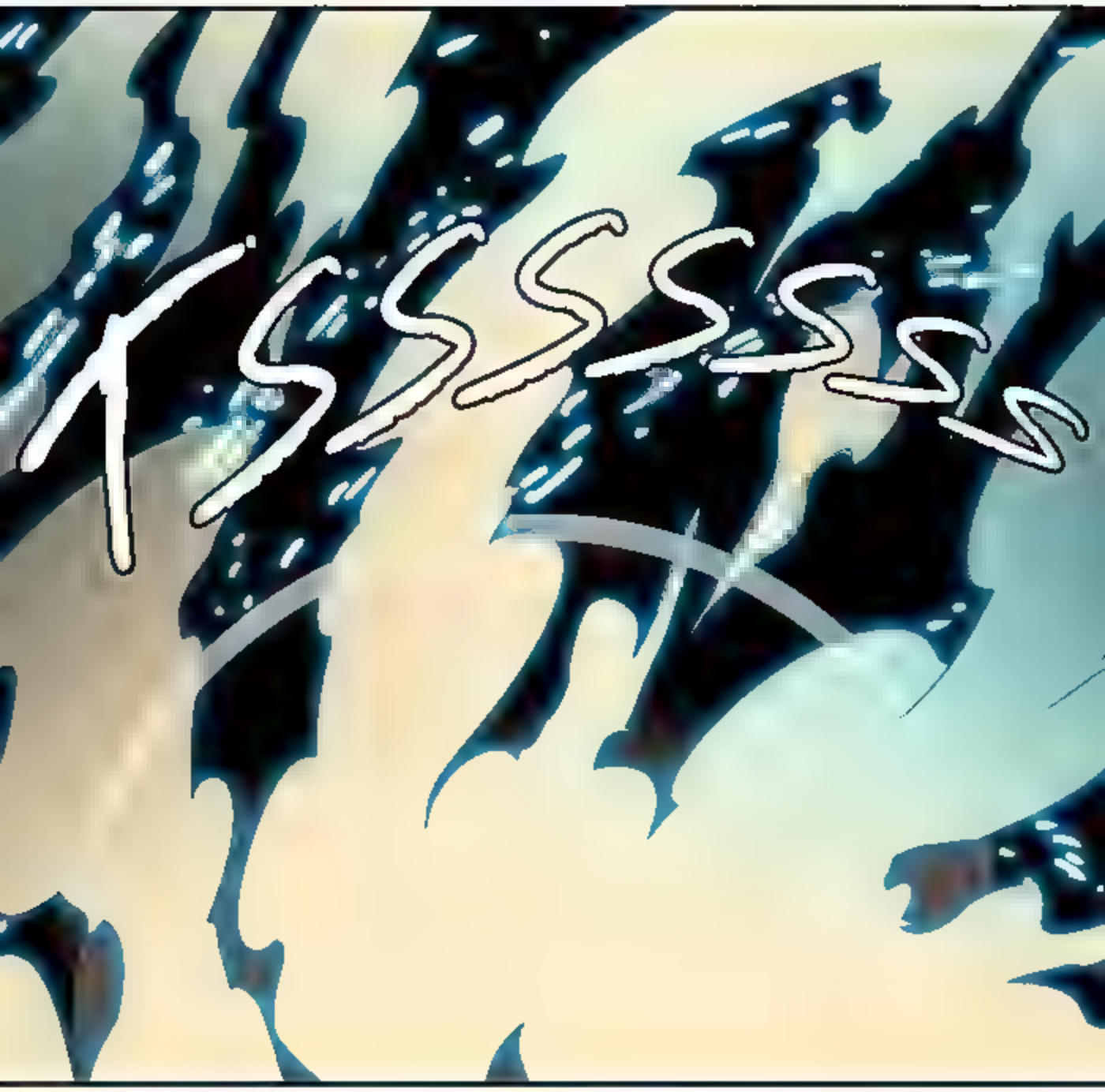
IS THAT..!
THIS IS THE REAL POCKET BALL THAT SOPHIA GAVE US.
THE ONE THAT BROKE BEFORE WAS A FAKE ONE THAT WE PREPARED.

HEY, YOU HAD BETTER GET WAY OVER THERE.
UNLESS YOU WANT TO DIE.
AGH..!!

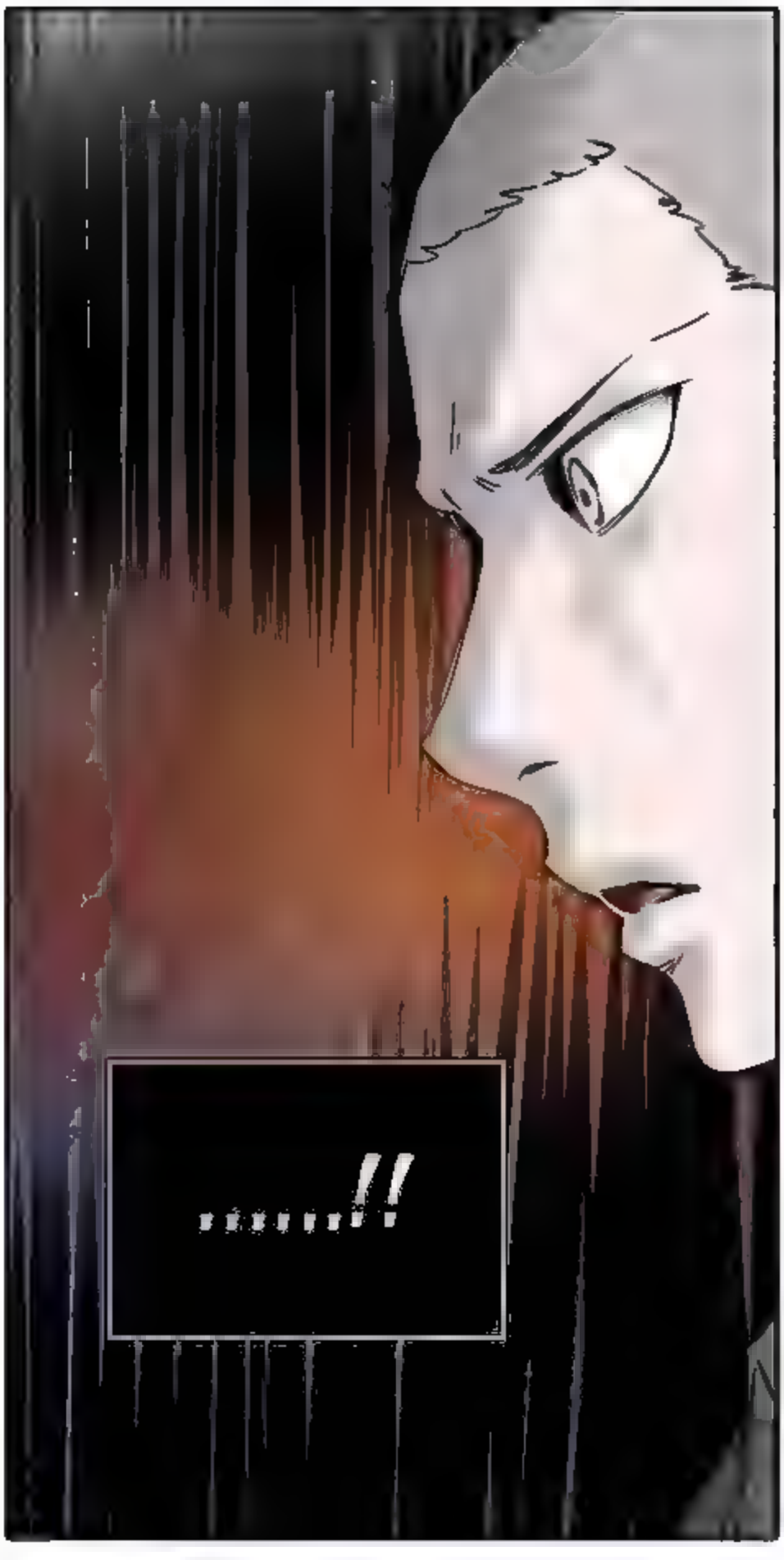


YOU'RE COMING WITH US NOW, CASANO.
FLASH
!!

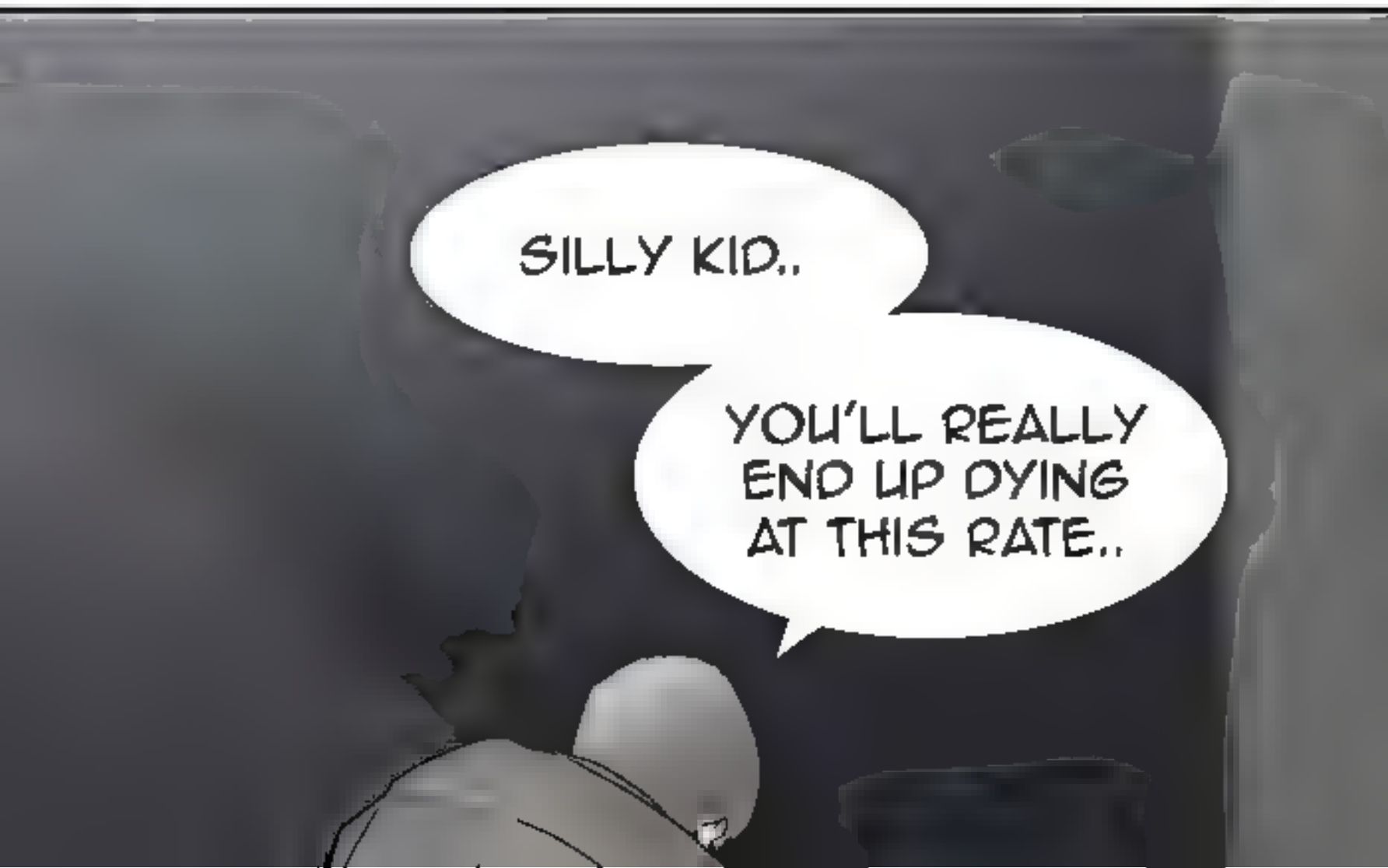
AHHHHH


SSSSSSS

WANGNAN!!
TATATA
C..
CASANO!!



...YOU..!!
STUMBLE
UGH..
UHHH..
STUMBLE


SILLY KID..
YOU'LL REALLY END UP DYING AT THIS RATE..

SQK
UGH..!

W..WHAT ABOUT CASANO..?
I GOT HIM. HE'S SEALED IN MY POCKET NOW.
....WHAT A RELIEF.

HEHE~
WE CAN GO BACK NOW.
WHAT ARE YOU SMILING AT?

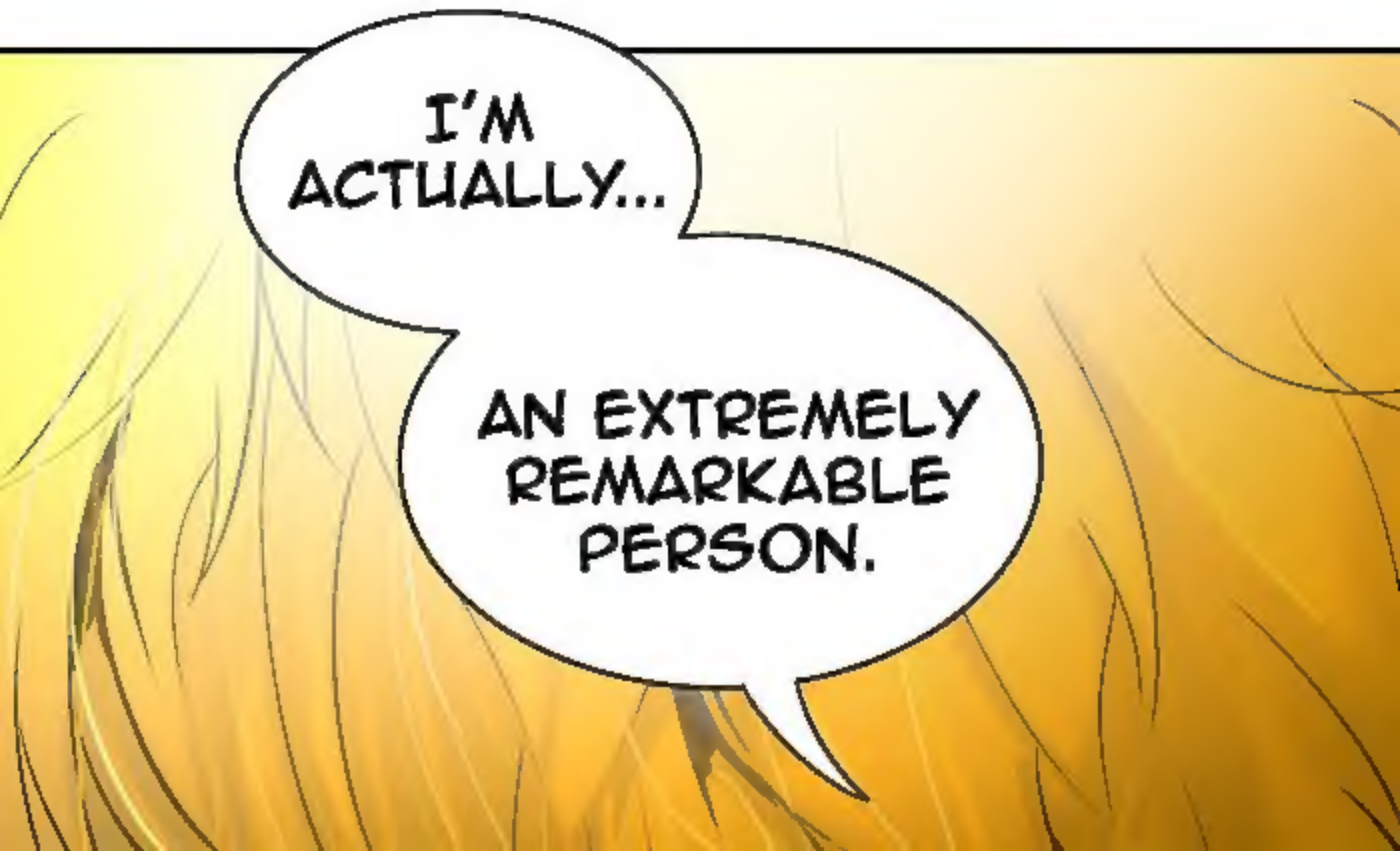
WE CAN COME BACK NOW..

HEY, ARKRAPTOR.
HM?

WHAT WILL GOSENG SAY WHEN SHE SEES THAT WE CAUGHT CASANO?
WILL SHE COMPLIMENT US?
I WONDER..
WE'VE KEPT HER WAITING TOO LONG FOR THAT.
WE'LL JUST BE LUCKY IF SHE DOESN'T SLAP US.
STEP-
STEP-

HEH... TRUE. SHE MUST HAVE BEEN THROUGH A LOT..
I DON'T MIND IF SHE HITS US. I JUST WANT TO SEE HER-
YOU'RE NUTS.
YOU'LL BE DEAD IF YOU GET HIT ONE MORE TIME HERE.
HAHA-!

HEY...
ARKRAPTOR.
....HM?


I'M ACTUALLY...
AN EXTREMELY REMARKABLE PERSON.

I'LL DEFINITELY TELL YOU SOMEDAY.

WHAT KIND OF PERSON I AM..
...YOU LUNATIC.
YOU COULD STILL USE A FEW SMACKS.
SHOULD I SMACK YOU AGAINR

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